TODAY'S WEATHER
FAIR AND WARMER; LIGHT VARIABLE WINDS.

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TOWER IS DINED BY AMBASSADOR MEYER

ROME, April 21.—(Special Cable.)—Ambassador and Mrs. Meyer gave a dinner this evening in honor of Charlemagne Tower, United States ambassador to Germany and Mrs. Tower. Among the guests were Signor Tittoni, minister of foreign affairs, and wife; the prince of Colonn, mayor of Rome, Princess Sonfino, Marquis and Marchioness Prinetti, Madame Waddington, Prince and Princess Viggianno, M. Barrere, the French ambassador, and Madame Barrere and General Saletta, head of the general staff.

THE WEATHER

Fair and warmer is promised for Pittsburgh and this vicinity today and showers for tomorrow by the Washington observer. The maximum temperature yesterday was 55 and the minimum 30 degrees. The sun rose clear at 5:32 and set clear at 7:07 yesterday. The daily report, furnished by the local weather office, follows:

Time.	Baro.	Tem.	Hum.	Wind.	Weather.
8 a. m.	30.41	34	66	N.E.	Clear
8 p. m.	30.26	52	41	N.E.	Clear

Comparative temperature and precipitation for April 21:

	1904	1903		1904	1903
Maximum	55	56	Mean	42	46
Minimum	30	36	Precipitation	.00	.00
Nor. temp. 31 yrs.	54		Nor. precip. 31 yrs.	.10	
Dfcy. for day	12		Dfcy. for day	.22	
Dfcy. since Apr. 1.	127		Dfcy. since Apr. 1.	.22	
Dfcy. since Jan. 1.	443		Exc. since Jan. 1.	.40	

Government Weather Report.

WASHINGTON, April 21.—Forecast:

Western Pennsylvania — Fair and warmer Friday. Saturday, showers, with light, variable winds.

Ohio—Fair Friday, except showers in southwest portion. Saturday, showers and rising temperature; fresh northeast to east winds.

West Virginia—Fair and warmer Friday. Saturday, showers, with light, variable winds.

Observations taken at weather bureau stations at 8 o'clock last night:

Chicago	36	Clear	Washington	52	Clear
Cairo	58	Cloudy	Indianapolis	52	Clear
Louisville	54	Clear	Kansas City	50	Rain
Omaha	44	Rain	Philadelphia	52	Clear
St. Louis	50	Cloudy	El Paso	64	Clear
Cincinnati	52	Clear	New Orleans	74	PtCldy
Asheville	60	Cloudy	St. Paul	50	Cloudy
Vicksburg	70	Cloudy	Duluth	30	Cloudy
Oklahoma	68	PtCldy	Huron	40	Cloudy
New York	48	Clear	Helena	46	Rain
Cleveland	50	Clear	Denver	44	Cloudy
Buffalo	34	Clear	Salt L. City	40	Cloudy

TODAY'S AMUSEMENTS.

NIXON—Blanche Bates in "The Darling of the Gods," 8 p. m.

ALVIN—Amelia Bingham in "The Frisky Mrs. Johnson," 8:15 p. m.

GRAND OPERA HOUSE—Stock company in "The Sword of the King," 2 and 8 p. m.

AVENUE—Continuous vaudeville till 11 p. m. acts 1:30 to 10:30 p. m.

BIJOU—"The Great White Diamond," 8 p. m.

ACADEMY—"The Gay Masqueraders," 2 and 8 p. m.

EMPIRE—Black Patti Troubadours, 8:15 p. m.

EXPOSITION PARK—Baseball, Pittsburgh championship series, Pittsburgh versus Cincinnati, 3 p. m.

PORT ARTHUR HAS FALLEN?

Famous War Correspondent Says Japanese Are in Control.

BATTLE NEAR YALU

Reports of Heavy Fighting, but No Details Come from the Front.

NEW ADVANCE ON NIUCHWANG

By BENNETT BURLEIGH.

[SPECIAL CABLE TO THE GAZETTE.]

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TOKYO, April 21.—Port Arthur is now undoubtedly effectually blocked and events leading to the capture of the port are now culminating around that domed fortress.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS CABLE TO THE GAZETTE.]

LONDON, April 21.—A correspondent of the Times, cabling from Niuchwang, says that a messenger has arrived there from the Yalu river with the information that the Russians are fleeing north across the river in overcrowded boats and are losing hundreds by drowning.

SEOUL, April 21, 4:05 p. m.—(Special Cable. Herald Copyright.)—Strong rumors are current here that a land engagement took place yesterday near the mouth of the Yalu. The result is unknown.

Russian scouts reached Pak Ching, 100 miles north of Wonson, evidently with an idea of making a demonstration against the latter place and hoping to draw the Japanese force in that direction, when a superior Japanese force met the Russians and forced them to retire. Both armies are using the same tactics in the east as on the western Korean coast.

Japanese soldiers here say they believe that Port Arthur has fallen, but no official report has been received. Only 60 Russian cavalry reached Song Cheng. The appearance of Russians in that region is of no consequence to the Japanese, who seem purposely to ignore the northeastern mountainous district. The Russian cavalry, after burning the Japanese houses at Song Cheng and occupying the Korean telegraph office and causing trouble among natives by their demands for provisions, proceeded to Puk Chun, a place about 65 miles to the south.

Japanese at Niuchwang.

ST. PETERSBURG, April 21.—A report is current, but unconfirmed, that the Japanese have bombarded Niuchwang and are landing troops. The object of the latter will be to effect a junction with the force reported landed at the mouth of the Yalu recently.

The emperor has received the following telegram from Gen. Kuropatkin under today's date:

"All was quiet on the Yalu on the 19th and 20th and there has been no change. On the night of the 19th, opposite Cape Tower Hill, west of Kai-Chju, a steamer was observed sending off boats, evidently for the purpose of taking sounding. The boats soon returned."

In another telegram to the emperor, Gen. Kuropatkin says:

"I respectfully report to your majesty that two Japanese officers named Steevo Yukoka and Giski Oki, were arrested near the station of Tur-Chi-Kha. In their possession were found three cases of Bickford fuses, a French wrench, dynamite cartridges, tools for railway wrecking, cylinders containing one and a half pounds of pyroxylin, good maps of Mongolia, Manchuria and Northern Korea and a number of notes.

Were Shot to Death.

"A court martial held at Harbin April 20 found them guilty, while belonging to the Japanese army, of operating against Russia and in order to gain success for their army, of destroying or damaging telegraph and railway communications by means of pyroxylin and other accessories

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UNCLE SAM TO BRING PEACE?

Will Be Requested to Mediate Between Japan and Russia.

WOMEN ARE AT WORK

Wife of American Minister at Tokyo Has Wielded Good Influence.

PRELIMINARY STEPS ARE TAKEN

By PAUL VILLIERS.

[SPECIAL CABLE TO THE GAZETTE.]

Paris, April 21.—The government of the United States is to be requested to mediate between Russia and Japan and bring the war in the far east to a close. Already the preliminary steps looking to such action have been taken and there is every indication that others will rapidly follow.

This is the startling statement which is current in diplomatic circles here and which is made so circumstantially that it receives credence in high circles. Accompanying the report is an interesting story of the part which two American women, Mrs. Lloyd C. Griscom, wife of the American minister to Japan, and Mrs. Frederic Bronson of New York, Mrs. Griscom's mother, have played in this drama of diplomacy which may soon restore the peace of the world.

Minister Griscom is the most popular diplomat in Tokyo, with both the Japanese government and the people. He has been granted more than one audience with the mikado, who regards him highly, while the members of the cabinet consult with him frequently. He has actively, though discreetly, participated in the rejoicing over Japanese victories and in every way is in a position to act as an acceptable intermediary to bring about an understanding between the warring powers.

Women Work for Peace.

The popularity of the American minister is fully shared by his wife and her mother. The empress yesterday received the two American ladies in private audience. It is said that it was at a previous audience that the question of mediation was first broached by her majesty. The sympathy and co-operation of the fair American diplomats was quickly enlisted and they have taken an active part in bringing about conditions which would admit of an attempt at mediation.

A prominent member of the American colony who knows the Griscoms well and who is in communication with them said today: "It is true that a movement is under way which may and probably will result in the mediation of the United States between Japan and Russia and that already unofficial communications have passed between Tokyo and Washington on the subject. Whether there has been any official communications in connection with the move I do not know, but I am inclined to believe the matter has not progressed to that point yet.

"No better man for this work than Mr. Griscom could be found. He is a diplomat of experience, a polished man of the world, and has the confidence of the governments at Washington and at Tokyo. The Griscoms are known favorably also at St. Petersburg and, if I am not mistaken, Mrs. Griscom has a personal acquaintance with the czarina.

Will Await Land Battle.

"It is known that the czarina wants peace and from what I hear from Tokyo the empress of Japan is of the same mind. These royal ladies have potent influence with their husbands. With a brilliant woman, experienced in the ways of courts and in high diplomacy, acquainted with both their majesties, to bring them together in working for the ending of the war, it is highly probable that another chapter will be added to the world's history where the horrors of war have been stopped by the influence of women."

The question in the minds of diplomats here who are conversant with the story is not as to the correctness of it but as to how Russia would receive an offer of mediation under existing conditions. The general belief is that she will not be willing to consider the question of peace until a decisive land battle has been fought. Should her prestige in the eyes of her Asiatic subjects be restored by the de-

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The Small Boy Who Wanted to See the Game.

Mr. and Mrs. Herrmann and Mr. and Mrs. Dreyfuss Leaving Their Box.

Some Fair Spectators Behind the Ropes.

Police Failed to Keep Crowd Back from the Field.

BRITISH WARSHIP MAY BOMBARD BLUEFIELDS

Will Demand Release of Fishermen and Boats Seized by Nicaraguans.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS CABLE TO THE GAZETTE.]

Kingston, Jamaica, April 21.—The British cruiser Retribution, which, under instructions from the imperial government, sailed from Kingston April 11 for a Nicaraguan port in connection with the seizure of six Cayman turtle schooners and the arrest of their crews by Nicaraguan officials, returned to Port Royal from the Nicaraguan coast today after ascertaining that the vessels and crews had been sent to Bluefields. The captain of the Retribution accused the Nicaraguan commandant, under whose orders the schooners were seized, of piracy. There is consternation among the Nicaraguan officials over the affair. It was necessary for the Retribution to return to Port Royal to coal, but the cruiser will sail for Bluefields on Saturday next to demand the release of the prisoners and the boats, and also immediate compensation for their illegal seizure and detention. It is rumored that should it be found necessary, the Retribution will bombard the port of Bluefields.

MANAGUA, NICARAGUA, April 21.—The five tortoise-shell fishing schooners captured recently while in Nicaraguan waters and taken to Bluefields had hoisted the British flag on one of the small islands off Cape Gracias-a-Dios, Nicaragua. The fishermen claim they were encouraged to do so by British colonial employes.

BOUGHT WABASH STOCK; WANTS HIS MONEY BACK

Alleged Rockefeller Tip Brought Disaster to a Young Plunger.

[BY PRIVATE WIRE TO THE GAZETTE.]

NEW YORK, April 21.—A tip on Wabash from John D. Rockefeller, Jr., through a member of his Bible class named Rawleigh, proved the financial undoing of George Doutney, according to the evidence in a suit brought by Doutney against the New York and Chicago brokerage firm of Sidney C. Love & Co., for the recovery of $30,000 alleged to have been obtained by them in a deal in Wabash and retained in violation of the contract.

According to the evidence Doutney, who was worth something like $25,000, mostly in real estate, saw visions of great wealth when his friend Rawleigh told him that young Mr. Rockefeller had suggested to him that Wabash at that time was a good investment. Mr. Rockefeller's judgment on the value of the stocks, even though it came second handed, was enough for Doutney, and he decided to plunge on Wabash.

He alleges he went to Love & Co. and authorized them to purchase for his account 21,000 shares of Wabash preferred at prices ranging from 41¾ to 46¾. He put up his equity in real estate to the value of $25,000 for margins and claims that Love & Co. promised to carry his line of stocks all the summer without demanding any cash. Mr. Doutney, so he alleges, was called upon unexpectedly for cash payments which he could not make and his little fortune was wiped out. The case was not finished today.

SMOOT WITNESS HAS SIX WIVES

Mormon Patriarch Testifies About His Family.

NINTEEN CHILDREN

Was Married to Two Sisters at the Same Time With One Ceremony.

CHURCH DOMINATES IN IDAHO

THE PITTSBURGH GAZETTE BUREAU, Room 10, Postal Building, WASHINGTON, D. C., April 21.

Angus M. Cannon, patriarch of the Mormon church, who has six wives, two of whom, sisters, he married at one time, and 19 living children, was the chief witness at the Smoot hearing today. His revelations of Mormonism, as he himself appreciates it, made an altogether unpleasant impression.

Mr. Cannon left no doubt in the minds of his hearers that his belief in all of the doctrines of the Mormon church is unalterable, and his refusal to make known the secrets of the endowment house ceremonies were more positive than even those of Brigham H. Roberts. Another feature of Mr. Cannon's testimony was his statement that in the Mormon church there were marriages between the living and the dead. The ceremony itself, he said, was performed with a proxy, representing the dead, "the idea being," continued Mr. Cannon, "much the same as when Paul speaks of baptism for the dead."

The other important witness of the day was Calvin Cobb, a Gentile and publisher of the Idaho Daily Statesman of Boise, Idaho. He described in detail the dominating power of the Mormon church in Idaho and insisted that it was altogether bad in its influence on the state.

Mormons Dominate Idaho.

Mr. Cobb said there is no statute against polygamous cohabitation, though several unsuccessful efforts had been made to enact such a statute. All of these measures, he said, had died in the legislature, which is about one-third Mormon. In regard to the Mormon influence in the state Mr. Cobb said that the chairmen of the state organizations of both parties go to Salt Lake before every campaign and both come back and say that everything has been fixed "all right." He said that after the election one or the other usually felt that things had not been "all right." Mr. Cobb related the efforts before the legislature to have called a constitutional convention to enact an amendment to repeal the Idaho test against Mormonism. The resolution was defeated several times and finally Apostle John Henry Smith visited Boise and soon after the resolution was adopted.

Counsel for the prosecution examined Mr. Cobb in relation to the influence Mormons are alleged to have attempted to bring to bear for the retention of Senator Smoot. This was shown, said Mr. Cobb, by a delegation of the Idaho legislature, which called upon W. E. Borah, a candidate for the senate, and asking him what would be his attitude as a United States senator if the case of Senator Smoot should come up. Counsel for the defense opposed their introduction of this testimony on the ground that what Mr. Borah told Mr. Cobb was incompetent.

Cannon a Patriarch.

Mr. Taylor explained he wanted to show that Mr. Borah declined to commit himself in regard to Mr. Smoot, and on that account was not elected to the senate. Mr. Borah is now one of the counsel for Mr. Smoot.

Angus M. Cannon said he has lived in Salt Lake since 1849, but had been blessed in the Mormon church when he was five years old. He is 70 years old and now holds the position of patriarch in the Mormon church, having been designated for that position by President Joseph F. Smith about two weeks ago. Patriarchs, the witness said, rank next to the 12 apostles in dignity. Mr. Cannon said that for 28 years he had been president of the Salt Lake Stake of Zion.

The sensation of the hearing occurred when Mr. Taylor examined Mr. Cannon

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M'CLELLAN BOOM COMES BY MAIL

Tammany Circular Declares Keystone Democrats Can Name Presidential Candidate.

GUFFEY WAS NOT CONSULTED

THE PITTSBURGH GAZETTE BUREAU, Room 10, Postal Building, PHILADELPHIA, PA., April 21.

"Pennsylvania can name the Democratic nominee."

This is the caption of a circular sent out today from New York. The press and prominent Democrats received it. Not only does the circular concede to Pennsylvania influence pivotal, but it says that Mayor George B. McClellan is the pivot.

This is the first presidential boom to arrive by mail. As it is strictly anonymous I am unable to say whether or not Tammany is paying the postage. There is a catchy swing to the circular. It was evidently prepared with a view to circulation in the Keystone state. The heading announces:

"George B. McClellan belongs to Pennsylvania. The Keystone Democracy has the same opportunity that it took advantage of at Cincinnati in 1880, when it presented Hancock, 'the superb.' Pennsylvania can name the next president."

In text this anti-Parker movement is eloquent in its eulogy of Tammany's mayor. It declares that McClellan is a man of magnetism, a spellbinder whose voice enthralls, hypnotizes and coerces the reason of his fellow man. That, as a presidential candidate, he would carry the states of New York, Illinois, Indiana, New Jersey, Maryland, West Virginia, Kentucky and those of the Pacific slope. All things, it is alleged, will come to McClellan, if Pennsylvania will only give him a chance to oppose Roosevelt.

But McClellan's postal boom was misdirected. It should have been addressed to Col. J. M. Guffey, Pittsburgh, Pa., the gentleman who has 68 votes in his inside pocket, all of whom will vote as a "unit." No doubt the premise of the mayor's circular is correct. Pennsylvania is the key to the situation. Its big delegation can come close to dictating affairs at St. Louis. Col. Guffey knows this—he knew it when he gave orders against instructions, and as his orders were obeyed, he probably is not blind to the commanding position which he now occupies in the arena of arbitrament.

Chairman Donnelly and the other Democratic leaders have refused to comment upon the McClellan boom. They say that Col. Guffey's advice will control the Pennsylvania delegation, and as he has not declared for any of the candidates mentioned, they will saw wood until he makes known his wishes. As long as McClellan sticks to the mails he cannot quit much loser.

CHESTER D. POTTER.

Robbers Cause Man to Lose Limbs.

TYRONE, PA., April 21.—(Special.)—Robbed and forced to jump from a fast train near Petersburg on peril of being killed if he refused, Harry Heinman of New York, who, with four unknown companions, was stealing a ride, was thrown under the wheels, losing both legs. His four assailants were arrested upon the arrival of the train here.

PIRATES WON OPENING GAME

A Crowd of Nearly 12,000 Saw Cincinnati Beaten, 5 to 4.

LOTS OF EXCITEMENT

The Spectators Had Chances to Cheer and Hoot—Players Put Out of Game.

WELL-KNOWN FANS ATTENDED

Before a crowd of nearly 12,000 people that filled the stands to overflowing, swarmed out on to the field and cheered the three-time champions Pittsburgh's Premiers opened the home season of 1904 at Exposition park yesterday afternoon by defeating the Cincinnati team, 5 to 4. There were other things opened, including a campaign of education, with Umpire Johnstone as instructor-in-chief. The ease with which he banished obstreperous players from the grounds delighted and angered the crowd in turn, according to whose ox was being gored.

The crowd began pouring into the grounds as soon as the gates were opened at 2 o'clock, and within a half hour the grandstand and bleachers were filled. Both teams received an ovation when they came on the field for practice.

At 3 o'clock President Barney Dreyfuss gave the signal and the two teams fell into line behind the Grand Army band and to the strains of "Any Rags" marched across the field to where the pennant proclaiming the Pittsburghs to have been the champions of 1903 was ready to be hoisted. The band struck up the "Star Spangled Banner," and with all the players hauling at the halyards the bunting was run to the top of the flagstaff.

Lined Up For Another Parade.

The players again lined up for parade. Then the band made a sad mistake. It started to play "Tessie." It played "Tessie" last year when the Premiers were defeated in the world's series, and when the tune was wafted across the field to the grandstand President Dreyfuss is said to have been almost overcome. Manager Fred Clarke made a frantic dash for the baton swinger and saved the day by having the tune changed to "Auld Lang Syne," which also recalled a few memories.

The crowd arose when Huggins prepared to lead off for the visitors. The field was clear. Scanlon shook himself a couple of times, swung his right and as the sphere nestled in Smith's glove the voice of the umpire shouting "strike" could be heard for almost a mile. Then something happened. Down by the little side gate in the right field bleachers there was a struggling, surging mass of humanity. The stands could not hold the crowd and about 500 men wanted to get on to the field, where they could see the game. They got there, too, but not until half a dozen policemen had been routed.

During this little diversion the people in the boxes amused themselves by throwing strings of multi-colored paper tape until the front of the grandstand was festooned. Ropes were soon stretched along the side lines and about 2,000 spectators, including several women, were given standing room on the ground.

Crowd Anxious to Enthuse.

Although the weather was chilly the crowd was anxious to enthuse. It was given an opportunity in the last half of the first inning when Tommy Leach sent the ball almost to the left field fence for three bases. It cheered when Brashear tripped in the second and when Beaumont trotted across the home plate in the third, scoring the first run for the home team, when three more scores were made in rapid succession; when Wagner made a sensational one-hand catch of Seymour's line drive in the fifth, and when Donlin reciprocated by nailing Wagner's long fly to left in the same inning.

Heiney Peitz began wrangling with Umpire Johnstone shortly after the game opened, but confined his remarks to generalities until the last half of the sixth inning, when he cut loose and said a lot of mean things to the official. Johnstone did not hesitate a minute in putting the objecting one off the grounds, and again the crowd cheered.

The banishing of Peitz failed to put a stop to the Ricking of both teams, but there was no serious outbreak until the first half of the eight inning, when the umpire called Dolan safe at the plate when Smith was certain that the runner was out. To show his disapproval of the

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RICHARD R. QUAY SANGUINE WHEN TALKING OF SENATOR

Makes a Hurried Trip to Atlantic City, but Insists That His Father Is in No Imminent Danger of Death.

Richard R. Quay, son of Senator M. S. Quay, left last night on the 10 o'clock train for Atlantic City, where he will visit his father. Mr. Quay took occasion to vigorously deny reports that the senator is seriously ill.

"If father's condition were such as has been reported, I certainly would not have remained in Pittsburgh right along," said Mr. Quay. "I am going down tonight to visit father."

Mr. Quay went alone, not being accompanied by his wife or other members of his family.

"Reports that father was in a sinking condition have been printed from time to time for the last five years," continued Mr. Quay. "One or two Pittsburgh newspapers have killed him off half a dozen times in that period. I had a letter yesterday that on Tuesday the senator was out taking an automobile ride. He certainly would not be doing that if his condition were as has been rumored. He expects to go over to Washington next Monday. Members of the family have been greatly annoyed by the circulation of these reports."

Friends of Senator Quay in Pittsburgh have within the past few days had advices from Major Quay, the other son, to the effect that father has not been well, he is only, that he needs a considerable rest and expects to take things easy during the summer.

LIVING BABIES BURIED IN LIME

Another Chapter of Horrors is Unearthed by Philadelphia Officials.

AWFUL STORY OF BARBARISM

[By Private Wire to The Gazette.]

PHILADELPHIA, April 21.—Mrs. Ashmead's furnace for baby cremation has a rival in beds of quicklime used by baby farmers and members of the malpractice syndicate.

This tale of horror was told to Coroner Dugan by the sister of a young woman who had died in a lying-in establishment. It has been corroborated by at least one witness, who saw babies still alive dropped into the destroying substance. Two arrests are to be made upon the information thus secured by the coroner and sensations which will equal those following the exposure of the baby crematory are promised. All the facts in the case have been laid before Director Martin of the bureau of health by the coroner and by Detective McKinney of his staff, who pursued the investigations.

Revelation of the horrors of the quicklime trap for removing babies and evidence came to the coroner through the death of a young woman in the establishment. Immediately after its birth, her baby was taken away by a midwife and dropped into a vat of "white stuff," which had been brought into the room by an attendant. The mother was told that the little one was dead and that it had been simply placed into the tub to conceal it when it was carried away.

Horror Killed Mother.

In removing the tub one of the attendants splashed some of the contents upon the carpet. A few days later the mother, convalescing, examined these splashes and found that they had been made with quicklime. The horrible fate of her baby so preyed upon her mind that she sank into melancholia, dying within a few days. Before her death, however, she told the awful story to her sister.

"They said my baby was dead," she said, "and dropped it into a tub of white stuff that they had brought into the room. I asked them why, and they said simply to conceal the body until it could be disposed of. My baby was not dead. I know it. Then, when I was getting better, I looked at some splashes on the floor that had been left by the women who carried the tub out and I knew it was quicklime. They threw my living baby into that stuff."

Soon after the arrest of Mrs. Ashmead and Dr. McVickar, the sister wrote a letter to the coroner, telling him these facts. At once a searching inquiry was begun. Detective McKinney, after weeks of search, has located inmates of this second house of horrors.

Death Trap Discovered.

He has one witness who saw babies consigned to death in the vats at two establishments. The place where the young woman died has been found. It is only one of two operated by the owner. Both of these are equipped with the quicklime vats. All those concerned are under strict surveillance and arrests will soon be made.

Coroner Dugan said today: "This might be called chapter No. 2 in the tale of horror beginning with the story of the furnace of Mrs. Ashmead. There is not one person who is connected with this quicklime affair who can escape us. We know of at least one witness of babies being cast by these fiends into the quicklime, careless of whether they were dead or alive. We expect to lay hands on her at any moment and then arrests will follow. These horrors must be done away with, and I propose to lay the whole rotten fabric of baby farming in this city bare. After the furnace and the quicklime vat, we can tell what is still to come."

CATHOLIC LAY BROTHER WAS QUIETLY MARRIED

Trustees of Protectory Are Astonished by Sudden Announcement.

[By Private Wire to The Gazette.]

NEW YORK, April 21.—Romance today found its way into the meeting of the board of trustees of the Roman Catholic protectory when a lay brother whispered something into the ear of the chairman.

"Married, Brother Eusebius married," exclaimed the president, and he looked about the table at his associates, who in turn repeated "married," in incredulous astonishment. They had almost decided upon the nomination of Brother Eusebius as the head of the institution.

Brother Eusebius was in charge of the protectory three years ago. He had served for two years when for some mysterious reason he was transferred to another field. He sojourned in Albany a few months, and when it was learned that certain square envelopes addressed in a feminine hand followed him there he was sent to France.

Brother Eusebius is now 38 years of age. Among those who had charge of the industries which are conducted in connection with the protectory was a Mr. Malone. His sister, Miss Marie Malone of Albany, called at the institution about three years ago to see her kinsman, and he presented her to Brother Eusebius. The young woman is pretty and vivacious, and from the moment he met her Brother Eusebius fell in love. The brother remained in charge of the institution for several months after that meeting, and then word was sent over to Paris. Brother Leontine, who had been absent on a mission, returned to again take up the reins of authority at the protectory, and Brother Eusebius was sent to Albany, an assignment much to his liking.

One day he received instructions to go to France. Many messages were exchanged between the home of the Malones and an institution in Paris. Brother Eusebius made application to Rome to be released from his vows, which he had taken as perpetual, and after several months the dispensation was granted. He returned here, where a year and a half ago he and Miss Malone were married by the Rev. Father Mechler of the Church of the Holy Family. Mr. and Mrs. Moore have since their marriage lived at the Castle hotel, in Unionport, within two miles of the protectory. Brother Eusebius is head bookkeeper of the house of M. J. Drummond & Co., dealers in iron pipe, at Broadway and John street.

PITTSBURGHERS GUESTS AT A LAUNCH PICNIC

ST. AUGUSTINE, FLA., April 21.—(Special.)—Today was a perfect spring day, tempting everyone out of doors. Mr. and Mrs. Christiana of Baltimore gave a launch picnic to Matanzas inlet yesterday, the lady exploring the old fort. The guests included Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Allen and Miss Allen of Pittsburgh.

Killed by Fall Downstairs.

A Portzer, aged 63, of No. 142 Enterprise street, East Liberty, died late last night at the East End hospital of injuries received by falling downstairs at the Hotel Bechtold in Frankstown avenue.

Child Dies of Burns.

GREENSBURG, PA., April 21.—Gertrude, the 6-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William M. Moore of Ludwick, died this morning from burns received while playing with her brothers on Tuesday afternoon around a pile of burning rubbish.

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FILIPINOS NEED AMERICANS' HELP

Secretary Taft Tells Business Men About Possibilities on the Islands.

SAYS CLIMATE IS HEALTHFUL

The Pittsburgh Gazette Bureau.
Herald Building, Herald Square,
NEW YORK, April 21.

"My experience and that of others compels me to believe that had the Philippine islands been turned over to the followers of Aguinaldo the islands would have been plunged into a condition of political chaos," declared Secretary of War Taft during his speech at a special meeting of the chamber of commerce today.

"Ninety per cent of the people are ignorant and unable to exercise political control," continued the speaker. "It will take more than one generation to educate the masses. My own idea is that the policy of the administration should be indorsed by the people of the United States, regardless of expense."

Regarding the resources of the islands Secretary Taft spoke at great length. Of the 41 provinces in the islands at least 15 of them will produce hemp. This culture and that of cocoanuts had proved so profitable that the planters had abandoned to a great extent the raising of rice.

"I am not a business man," continued the speaker, "but I do not think that it is a good plan to attract the trade and sympathies of the people by ridiculing them and making fun of their customs and habits, and I think that the majority of the business men are on the wrong foot in the Philippines. So long as I occupy my present position I expect to press the recognition of the Filipinos upon the government, until the mineral and other resources of the islands have been developed.

"The native is not industrious, and labor conditions in the islands are hopeless. The labor problem is to teach the natives how to work. There is considerable inter-island trade, without which the inhabitants could not exist.

"In regard to the health of the islands, it has been said that a white man cannot live there. This is not true. With the proper observance of hygienic conditions, the climate in some parts is as healthful as the Adirondacks. The future of the Filipinos, of course, is hard to prognosticate, but with the increased hygienic conditions and the improvement in the water system, and with the help of the present bill which is in congress, a bright future should be guaranteed to the Philippines."

Bishop Potter also made an address, and a vote of thanks, offered by Alexander E. Orr to Judge Taft, was carried amid applause. A resolution offered by Gustav H. Schwab, to the effect that during the year 1904 the present regulations regarding the admission of Chinese be modified so as to facilitate during the world's fair the admission of exempt Chinamen was passed.

ALEXANDER DODDS.

RUSSIAN ADVANCE IS NOW ORDERED

Active Land Operations in Northeastern Korea to Begin at Once.

[Associated Press Cable to The Gazette.]

PARIS, April 22.—The St. Petersburg correspondent of the Petit Parisien says he has learned that Gen. Kuropatkin has ordered the advance of the Russian forces which are massed in Northeastern Korea, and that a brigade of infantry, with 5,000 Cossacks, is within a hundred versts of the banks of the Tumen river.

MUKDEN, April 21.—The operations of the Russians in Manchuria are greatly hampered by the immense number of spies. Major General Kondratsvitch, commanding the Ninth East Siberian rifle brigade, says the Japanese have taken advance of the convenient location of Niuchwang, which is full of spies.

"In the guise of merchants, beggars, rag pickers and lackeys," says the general, "these spies sniff everywhere. They have grown pigtails, showing that they have been preparing for their work for a long time, and that they are unwilling to trust entirely to the information supplied by the Chinese. They are hard to get rid of. These insects as soon as they obtain information cross the river into Chinese territory, where they use the telegraph. Some of them have been caught, but the majority wander among the troops and nothing can be done to prevent it."

A Chinese spy who was caught several days ago, was sent to Liao Yang, where he was shot. The Chinese manifested deep sympathy, following him along the streets after he had been captured.

TOGO'S CLAIM IS BORNE OUT BY INVESTIGATION

Alexieff's Report Shows That Japanese Mines Destroyed the Petropavlovsk.

[Associated Press Cable to The Gazette.]

ST. PETERSBURG, April 22.—All doubt as to the cause of the destruction of the battleship Petropavlovsk and the damage to the battleship Pobieda at Port Arthur is dissipated by the report submitted by telegraph to the emperor April 21. In it Viceroy Alexieff stated that mines were responsible.

The admission of the presence of Japanese ships off Port Arthur on the night preceding the going out of the Russian ships, which were watched by Admiral Makaroff, tends to establish Admiral Togo's claim that his ships laid mines on which the Russian battleships struck.

The viceroy's report states that "under the starboard side of the Petropavlovsk there was an explosion," and declares that a mine exploded under the Pobieda. That the Russian ships did not run on their own mines is shown by the positive statement of the port admiralty that Admiral Makaroff was familiar with the location of the torpedoes defending the port.

Chinese Exclusion Indorsed.

DENVER, April 21.—The principal action taken at today's meeting of the executive council of the American Federation of Labor was the adoption of a resolution requesting the passage of the Hitt bill on Chinese exclusion, now pending before congress. The action came in the shape of the unanimous adoption of the report of the sub-committee appointed to consider the status of the exclusion law.

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Chickering Baby Grand, used only as an ornament at Nixon theater, perfect condition, was $800, a rare bargain, now $595
Hardman upright, like new, colonial style, was $475, now $295
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PRESIDENT ROOSEVELT AND HIS INTERESTING SONS

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Theodore, Jr. Kermit Quentin Archie

This photograph was taken in the green room at the White House within the past few days, and for the first time shows Mr. Roosevelt and his sons in a view free from the usual conventional type of picture.

PORT ARTHUR HAS FALLEN?

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provided for that purpose, and of making their way secretly into Manchuria, where they were arrested by Russian patrols 30 verts southwest of the station of Tur-Chi-Kha, on the Eastern Chinese railway. The officers wore Mongolian dress to disguise their nationality.

"The officers were condemned to be deprived of their civil rights and to be executed by hanging.

"I confirmed the sentence, but in view of the officers' rank, consented that they be shot instead of hanged, with the same loss of civil rights.

"I refused their prayer to spare their lives and they were executed at 6 o'clock on the evening of April 21."

Viceroy Alexieff has sent to the emperor a long detailed account of the naval engagement of April 13, in which the torpedo boat destroyer Stranzhni was sunk, and of the loss of the battleship Petropaviovsk.

Skrydloff Off for Front.

The rumor that Viceroy Alexieff has resigned persists despite repeated denials. It is popularly believed the viceroy will be recalled when Admiral Skrydloff reaches the front. Skrydloff started today. There were scenes of great enthusiasm at the station and the crowds implored the sailor to retrieve the disasters to the Russian arms.

The admiralty, it is announced, intends to fit out two ships purchased from Germany, which formerly were in the trans-Atlantic service, together with a number of ships of the volunteer fleet, with rapid fire guns, and to send them to the Pacific to prey upon Japanese commerce. The admiralty believes that by this means it can prevent the resumption of operations by the Japanese commercial fleet and strike a hard blow against Japanese hope of maintaining her resources for the prosecution of the war.

Refused New York Offer.

It is authoritatively stated that Russia has been offered, through a well-known New York firm, two 7,000-ton and two 3,000-ton cruisers belonging to a South American republic, but has declined the offer.

In order to harmonize the army and navy operations, Vice Admiral Skrydloff will stop at Liao-Yang on his way to Port Arthur to confer with Gen. Kuropatkin. The admiral and the general are warm personal friends and both are completely independent of the viceroy. In spite of the bad relations between Skrydloff and Alexieff pressure is being brought to bear to prevent the viceroy's immediate return to the Russian capital.

All information in possession of the general staff indicates that the Japanese are preparing to make a landing near Takushan. The lights of Japanese ships have been observed there for several nights and it is believed that the debarkation of the troops have been delayed only by the bad weather which has prevented the assembling of the junks and other small craft on which the troops must be carried across the stretch of shallow water which extends several miles from the shore.

It is believed that the Japanese will experience great difficulty in debarkation if their landing is resisted. A prominent naval attache who is familiar with the coast says a battalion with rapid fire and machine guns could keep off an army corps, as the war ships would have to lie too far out effectively to protect a landing.

It is announced that Vice Admiral Stark, formerly in command of the Port Arthur fleet, has been appointed to the command of the Eighteenth depot fleet and that Rear Admiral Wittsoeft has been appointed chief of staff to Viceroy Alexieff.

The ships of the Baltic fleet here and at Libau will be in commission next week. The naval reserve of the neighboring provinces is arriving for distribution to the ships.

At the Vladimir palace today a requiem mass was celebrated for the repose of the soul of Lieut. VonKuke, the grand duke Cyril's aide-de-camp, who lost his life at the time of the Petropavlovsk disaster. All hope is given up of the recovery of the body of Vice Admiral Makaroff. It is believed to be beneath the overturned ship. The official reports place 80 as the number of persons saved from the Petropavlovsk.

Kuropatkin Confident.

Marine Minister Avellan has received the following telegram from Gen. Kuropatkin:

I mentally embrace you, dear Feodor Carlevich, knowing the grief and anxiety you are suffering. The army finds consolation in the firm conviction that our illustrious seamen will retrieve their loss at the expense of the Japanese fleet.

In reply, Minister Avellan telegraphed Gen. Kuropatkin, thanking him for the cordial sentiments expressed in his message and saying:

The conduct of your valiant army will serve our sailors in the Pacific to give you strong support in the conviction that we will conquer and uphold the glory of the flag. I follow all success and have no doubt that the pages of war history will be embellished with new and brilliant actions by the army under your command as chief leader.

Foreign Minister Lamsdorff has been notified that the United States receives all the rights she may have under international law in the event of any American citizen being affected by Russia's decision in the case of war correspondents using wireless telegraphy. This notification does not involve a protest against Russia's course, it simply reserving whatever rights may exist in regard to the yet undjudicated question of the use of wireless telegraphy in time of war.

Cost of the War.

Russia has made a new issue of $15,-000,000 in paper currency against free gold in the state bank. At the ministry of finance it was explained that it was an ordinary issue and in no sense was forced. Under the new law paper is issuable to double the amount of gold up to $150,000,000 gold in excess of which paper issued must be covered double for rouble. The state bank there are, in round figures, $400,000,000 in gold, which would permit of an issue of $550,000,000 in paper, but the paper issue at present only amounts to $350,000,000.

It is authoritatively stated that the daily expenses are averaging $750,000, and it is estimated that a year's expenditures for the war will total $250,000,-000. To meet this there existed a free balance of $50,000,000, which was increased to $115,000,000 by reductions of the ordinary budgets, leaving ostensibly $135,000,000 to be found. But a portion of the latter is made up by the increased earnings of the railroads owned by the government.

Odd Fellows Elect Officers.

PHILADELPHIA, April 21.—These officers of the Pennsylvania grand lodge, I. O. O. F., were elected at the annual meeting of the lodge today in Odd Fellows' temple. Grand master, Robert Graham, D. G. M.; deputy grand master, Melville E. Chubbuck, G. W.; grand warden, George Clymer, 295; grand secretary, Joseph H. Mackey, G. S. of No. 112; grand treasurer, M. Richard Muckle, G. T., of No. 46; grand representative to the S. G. L., Charles Chaifant, G. R., of No. 786.

Rear Admiral Molas' Body Found.

ST. PETERSBURG, April 21.—Prince Sheremetieff has telegraphed his mother from Port Arthur that the body of Rear Admiral Molas, Vice Admiral Makaroff's chief of staff, has been washed ashore frightfully mutilated by the explosion which sunk the Petropavlovsk, and that Vice Admiral Makaroff's body has not yet been found.

SMOOT WITNESS HAS SIX WIVES

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In regard to his various marriages, Mr. Taylor asked the witness when he was first married and he answered, "On July 18, 1858."

"To whom?"

"Sarah Maria Mousley."

"Who next?"

Was Sent to Prison.

Mr. Cannon stood up and his voice shook with great emotion as he said:

I beg an opportunity to explain and to ask a question of the chairman before I proceed. Nineteen years ago I was brought into great trouble. I was prosecuted and sent to prison because I acknowledged the mothers of my children as my families. I was given the opportunity of deserting my families or going to prison—and I went to prison.

I was sent to prison for eight months and served six months, when the supreme court took up my case and I was released. While I was in prison I said to my associates who called to see me: "You could not come here in honor; I could not stay out in honor."

For a long time I have lived within the law as far as it was possible to do so in the face of the obligations to my families. I have not paraded my families, but in honest pride I have nourished them.

The press of the country has caricatured President Smith for the testimony he gave in regard to plural families, and if I am asked to make similar exhibitions of my family I appeal for protection from any consequences that may be the result of the testimony. I will answer all questions in regard to myself or the church if I am assured that I will not be placed in peril by reason of the testimony."

Mr. Cannon sat down, quivering with ill-suppressed emotion, and Mr. Worthington asked:

"Mr. Cannon, have you any counsel?"

"No, sir."

Witness Was Protected.

Mr. Worthington submitted to the chairman that the witness should be informed as to his rights and as to his liability should he answer questions which might incriminate him.

Mr. Burrows thought the wieness was protected by the revised statutes, but Mr. Worthington said the statutes did not prevent persons who desired to prosecute the witness from taking the records of the hearings and thus learning where was to be found the necessary evidence for conviction.

Chairman Burrows said the witness was at liberty to decline to answer any questions he chose, but Mr. Worthington insisted that the refusal must be based on the ground that the witness feared to incriminate himself.

Mr. Tayler observed that he did not desire answers to any questions which related to marriages that were not fully exempted from prosecution under the statute of limitation, and on that statement the chairman directed that the question concerning the second marriage of Mr. Cannon should be answered.

The official reporter then read the question:

"To whom were you next married?"

"Anna Amanda Mousley."

"When were you married to her?" asked Mr. Tayler.

"At the same hour that I was married to Sarah Maria Mousley."

"By the same ceremony?"

"Yes."

"To whom were you next married?"

Told of Other Marriages.

Mr. Cannon again inquired of the chairman if he must answer, and Mr. Burrows replied:

"That is for you to answer or to decline to answer. Other witnesses have answered similar questions. I think the question is a proper one."

Mr. Cannon then answered: "Mrs. Clara C. Mason, in 1875." Also saying he was married to Martha Hughes in 1884, Maria Bannion in 1886, Johanna C. Donelson in 1886 and that he had not been married since that time. All his wives are living.

The witness was asked if he remembered a prosecution against him in 1886 for cohabitation with Mattie Hughes Cannon, and he answered that he remembered the prosecution but did not remember which wife he was charged with cohabiting with. He said he was arrested, but had not testified in any hearing. When asked to describe the residences of his various wives, he said they all lived in Salt Lake county, but in separate houses; that he had families by five of his wives.

"Do you live with all of your wives now?" Mr. Tayler asked.

"I am sorry to say that I can't."

"Why? Because you are now in Washington and cannot be living with them?"

"No; because of an agreement made by the church which compels me to be as modest as I can."

Chairman Burrows asked in regard to this agreement, and the witness said he referred to the manifesto of 1890, declaring against a continuation of polygamous cohabitation.

"What has been the effect of that manifesto upon you?"

"It has made me more modest, and I have been only as attentive as I felt common humanity required me to be."

"What do you mean by that?"

"I mean that this church order has made me more cold in my treatment of them than I should be."

Equalizing His Loyalty.

Chairman Burrows asked many questions concerning the attitude of the witness toward the laws of the land and the laws of God, both of which declared against polygamous cohabitation, and his obligation to his families. Mr. Cannon said he was meeting the situation to the best of his ability and trying as nearly as possible to equalize his loyalty to all of his obligations. He related the proceedings at the recent conference at Salt Lake at which President Smith had been supported for the testimony he had given in Washington. When asked if the people had censured the president of the church for his testimony he said he had heard of no criticism, but that they regretted the circumstances which made such disclosures necessary.

Chairman Burrows asked the witness how it was that the resolutions adopted at that conference had not declared against polygamous cohabitation and did declare against polygamy. The witness replied that the question of polygamous cohabitation had not been mentioned; that it was understood that those who had plural wives should not parade them offensively, but should not care for them. Mr. Cannon said he had seconded the resolution that had been adopted.

"Do you mean that you will go on dividing with your plural wives?" the chairman asked.

"I will have to improve greatly if I do not. I follow the dictation of my conscience in the matter."

Mr. Cannon declined to reveal the oaths taken in the endowment house, saying that they were sacred covenants entered into with their Maker. He said that only the very pure are permitted to enter the endowment house.

"You mean such as yourself and President Smith?" said Chairman Burrows.

Again and again the witness evaded questions relating to the character of the obligations taken in the endowment house, and finally said that "God had made it known that the sacred covenants should not be spoken of to the world." He would not say that there was any penalty attached to such disclosures or whether promise was given that the questions should not be answered. In answer to Senator Overman, Mr. Cannon said the 12 apostles had taken the endowment house oath.

Great interest was manifested by members of the committee concerning the character of the endowment house marriage ceremonies, but little could be obtained from Mr. Cannon. When pressed too closely he answered that he could not remember.

UNCLE SAM BRINGS PEACE?

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feat of the Japanese in a general engagement, it is believed she would be willing to make a truce and the consideration of peace terms which would end the war and at the same time give Japan practically what she went to war for.

NO CONFIRMATION MADE PUBLIC IN WASHINGTON

Non-Official Circles Believe That Mediation by United States Is Probable.

[By Private Wire to The Gazette.]

WASHINGTON, April 21.—Officials of the state department will not confirm the report that a movement is on foot to have the United States act as intermediary between Japan and Russia with a view to restoring peace in the orient, or that communications have passed between Minister Lloyd C. Griscom at Tokyo and the home government on this subject. In circles other than official, where the report has gained currency, it is regarded as probable.

It is pointed out that the relations between the United States and both the belligerents are most friendly, Minister Griscom at Tokyo is extremely popular with the Japanese both on account of his personality and the sincere regard with which the United States is viewed by the Japanese. The same is true of Ambassador McCormick at St. Petersburg. Both Russia and Japan also realize that the United States is the one great power which has no ulterior ends to gain in the vicinity of the seat of war. It is altogether possible that even if the suggestion that the United States take steps to bring the warring nations together has not been made officially by Minister Griscom that privately and unofficially he has communicated with the highest officials here.

Both Mr. and Mrs. Griscom are personal friends of the Roosevelts. The father of the minister to Tokyo, Mr. Clement C. Griscom of Philadelphia, the noted shipping man, has long been a warm personal friend of the president, and this friendship also includes the son. Mrs. Griscom, who was Miss Elizabeth Duer Bronson of New York, is connected with the old New York families of the set in which the Roosevelts moved.

KING EDWARD'S FAILURE WORRIES THE DANES

King Christian's People Looked to English Monarch for Arbitration in Orient.

[Special Cable to The Gazette.]

COPENHAGEN, April 21.—It was a great disappointment to the Danish people that King Edward had to leave here without accomplishing anything in the way of arbitration in the far east. King Christian is greatly worried over the political outlook in Russia and fears for the safety of his favorite grandson, the czar of Russia, because of the many Russian defeats in the east, which have made a strong impression upon the Russian people.

It has leaked out from court circles here that Russia is on the verge of a great revolution unless the czar wins a decisive victory over the Japanese. The feeling here is strongly pro-Russian, though the Danes are greatly incensed at the treatment of Finland. The czar, who is very democratic in his ways, when visiting his grandfather, the king, mingles freely with the people here, and is very popular, though not to such a marked degree as his father, the late Alexander III.

Denmark has vast commercial interests in China, the Great Northern Telegraph Company owning thousands of miles of wires and cables in that country, as well as in Manchuria and Siberia, and the present war has already caused serious losses to thousands of stockholders. The business of the Eastern Asiatic Company has dwindled down to almost nothing since the capture of the steamer Manchuria, which was captured by the Japanese while carrying ammunition to Vladavostock, immediately after the outbreak of the war. Altogether the outlook is anything but promising and for this reason the failure of King Edward as negotiator of peace is a great disappointment to the king and nation alike.

Princeton Beats Phillips-Exeter.

EXETER, N. H., April 21.—(Special.)—Princeton defeated Phillips-Exeter today 13 to 6. Exeter led for seven innings, when the visitors found Cook's delivery, and, aided by several errors on the part of the academy boys, scored five runs and won the game. The feature of the game was the work of Underhill of Princeton, in left field. The score:

	R	H	E
Princeton	0 0 1 0 0 0 5 7 0	13	12	4
Phillips-Exeter ...	0 1 0 2 3 0 0 0 0	6	12	7

Batteries—Princeton, Stevens, Underhill and Reid; Exeter, Cook and Jones. Umpire—Mr. Pendleton.

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ACQUITTED OF FORGERY.

York Millionaire Is Completely Tricked by a Hebrew Merchant.

YORK, April 21.—(Special.)—Abraham Fink, a local merchant, charged with forging the name of Logan Marshall, a York millionaire, to a note for $2,000, was acquitted today, the costs being placed upon the prosecutor.

Marshall, it was shown, offered to pay handsomely for an interview with Fink's brother, a lawyer, who had disappeared, leaving his creditors in charge of his business.

The plot revealed an attempt to trick Marshall, by having one of the defendant's clerks, by use of wigs and whiskers, impersonate Lawyer Fink. In his charge to the jury Judge Stewart said that the ingenuity of the author of Sherlock Holmes had never conceived anything more clever than the conspiracy to which witnesses admitted.

NEWFOUNDLAND REJOICES OVER CHANGE IN TREATY

ST. JOHN'S, N. F., April 21.—Great enthusiasm is evidenced here as a result of the terms of the French shore clauses of the Anglo-French colonial treaty. Only French ships will have to withdraw from British fishing waters on October 20 each year. Flags are flying and church bells ringing as a sign of popular approval.

D. A. R. GUESTS OF MRS. DALZELL

Officers Are Elected at the Annual Congress at Washington, D. C.

THEY WILL VISIT JAMESTOWN

The Pittsburgh Gazette Bureau.
Room 10, Postal Building.
WASHINGTON, D. C., April 21.

Mrs. Dalzell, wife of Representative Dalzell of Pennsylvania, extended her hospitalities this afternoon to the visiting members of the Daughters of American Revolution society from her state. A reception was tendered the delegates this afternoon at the residence of Mrs. Fairbanks. The reception was largely attended. The congress decided to accept the invitation of the state regent of Virginia, Mrs. Thomas B. Lyons, to make a pilgrimage to Jamestown. The party probably will leave here Sunday night and return Tuesday morning.

Ten vice president generals were voted for and for these offices there were 13 nominations, as follows: Mrs. Quarles, Wisconsin; Miss C. L. Bowman, Connecticut; Mrs. A. E. Henneberger, Virginia; Miss V. Miller, District Columbia; Mrs. Dennis Eagan, Florida; Mrs. J. N. Carey, Indiana; Mrs. R. E. Park, Georgia; Miss L. H. Clay, Kentucky; Mrs. W. S. Little, New York; Miss E. C. Williams, Maryland; Mrs. G. W. Simpson, Mississippi; Mrs. A. R. Bedle, New Jersey, and Mrs. H. E. Burnham, New Hampshire.

For the following named offices there was but one candidate each, and the recording secretary general was instructed to cast the ballot of the congress for them: Recording secretary general, Mrs. Clara E. Fuller, District of Columbia; treasurer general, Mrs. M. E. S. Davis, Washington, D. C.; historian general, Mrs. J. P. Dolliver, Iowa; registrar general, Mrs. Augusta Geer, Washington, D. C.

The state delegations have chosen the following regents and vice regents: Ohio, Mrs. Orlando J. Hogue, Mrs. H. M. Weaver; Pennsylvania, Mrs. Wilbur F. Reeder, Mrs. Henry C. Pennypacker; West Virginia, Mrs. B. D. Spilman, Miss M. J. Silver.

A committee was appointed to urge upon congress the passage of the resolution for bringing the remains of John Paul Jones to the United States.

BARONESS IS AGED 90.

Lady Burdett-Coutts Celebrates Birthday—Four-Year-Old Baroness Calls.

LONDON, April 21.—(Copyright Cable.)—Baroness Burdett-Coutts today celebrated her 90 birthday and from an early hour in the morning a procession of telegraph boys bringing messages from every part of the world, messenger boys carrying flowers and friends bearing parcels kept arriving in Stratton street. Four-year-old Lady Clifton, with her nurse, called and left a bouquet inscribed "From the youngest baroness to the oldest baroness in England."

The aged baroness, looking remarkably well and professing that such festivities put new life into her, received some 20 guests at lunch. Among them were: Prince Francie of Teck, the duke of Argyle, the duchess of St. Albans, Lord and Lady Wolseley, Lady Jeune, Sir Theodore Martin and Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Gladstone.

Body Fell Into Fire.

YOUNGSTOWN, O., April 21.—(Special.)—After committing suicide by firing a bullet into his head, Joe Mills, or Guiseppe Migliazia, fell into a fire which he had built near Girard and the body was horribly burned.

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The advantage of selecting furniture for the dining room or for any other part of the house from this vast stock lies largely in the fact that nowhere else can one have such an unlimited range of choice. This is not only the largest furniture house in the world, but the styles here are exclusive and invariably artistic. The simplest tastes can be gratified here, and the most elegant wants supplied.

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UGLY FIGHT IN WESTMORELAND

Any Settlement of the Keenan-Doty Feud Will Leave a Sore Spot.

WILLIAM HILL IS RE-ELECTED

Western Pennsylvania Democrats are interested in the decision of the national delegate contest in the Westmoreland-Butler district. The impression prevails that Henry S. Ackerman of Greensburg and Leo McQuiston of Butler will be selected. This decision would be satisfactory to the friends of Capt. John B. Keenan, but not to the followers of Judge L. W. Doty.

Friends of both factions were in Pittsburgh yesterday endeavoring to get a line on the decision of the committee that has the contest in hand. The dispute will be settled by State Chairman J. K. P. Hall, J. Wood Clark of Indiana and H. Eyre Spyker of Union county. No time has been fixed for a hearing of the opposing factions.

The development of the contest has opened the old Doty-Keenan feud in Westmoreland, and no matter how the delegate question is settled there will be an ugly sore spot. Peace was secured in Westmoreland last January and Keenan and Doty met to select the five delegates to the state convention. Each man chose two delegates apiece without argument. When the fifth place was to be filled numerous names were suggested. Finally the captain proposed James Ryan, and the judge said that he was satisfied. The conference adjourned and harmony was supposed to reign. A couple of hours later Doty sought Keenan and requested that Ryan be dropped. The captain refused to reopen the slate-making and felt confident that a majority of the delegates were his friends.

Butler has but one state delegate under the present apportionment. Keenan planned to combine with the Slatestone Democrats and elect Ackerman and McQuiston the national delegates. It was Monday afternoon before he discovered that Doty had hauled him a surprise. It came in the shape of a friend of the judge holding the credentials of Ryan. This spoiled the plans of the captain. The Doty men said that M. J. Kennedy of Scottdale had to be one of the national delegates. Monday night both sides were telegraphing Ryan. The next morning Keenan appeared with a telegram from Ryan transferring the substitution to the captain. A little later the Doty men flashed a message from Dyan denying that he had given Keenan authority to cast his vote. From the best information obtainable, it now developes that both telegrams were fakes. The state delegates of the district failing to reach an agreement, the state convention authorized a committee to name the national delegates. Any settlement which makes M. J. Kennedy a delegate will put the Keenan men on the war path and a division which omits his name will send the Doty men to war. The Keenan faction will offer to placate the Doty crowd by offering the congressional nomination to ex-Sheriff F. F. McCann of Greensburg.

The Allegheny county workhouse board yesterday re-elected Supt. William Hill. There was no other candidate. Ex-Mayor William McCallin had been mentioned, but he did not allow his name to be presented.

OCTOGENARIAN NEVER ENJOYED A FINER MEAL

Case of Mistaken Identity That Netted a Good Feed for Poor Old John Parker.

"Is John Parker locked up here?" asked "Ted" Jones at the South Thirteenth street police station last night. "If he is, I want to send him up his supper."

"He is," replied Sergt. William McShane, pointing to the docket, where John Parker's name was written out.

John had wandered in early and asked for lodgings, so drunk that he was locked up.

So Jones went out and bought roast chicken, fried oysters, mashed potatoes, baked parsnips, rice pudding, a couple of oranges and hot coffee. John Parker was surprised at the meal that was laid before him in his cell, but he ate heartily. There was so much that he divided with two prisoners in the next cell.

"Is John Parker locked up here?" asked a visitor about 45 years old an hour later.

"He is," said the other sergeant, James Fallon, showing the docket. "Somebody sent him in a good meal and he enjoyed it, too."

"Yes," said the man. "I paid for it. He's my son. What's he arrested for?"

"Your son," exclaimed Fallon and McShane. "Why, man, John Parker is 80 years old."

So he was. The Parker for whom the meal was bought is 18 and lives with his father, James Parker, near South Sixteenth street. The John Parker who got the meal is an octogenarian and says he is from Bellaire, O.

"May God reward young John's father," said old John, when he heard the story. Then he laughed till the bars of the cell rattled.

"I think it's very funny," said he.

Young John Parker had not been arrested.

HIT POLICEMAN IN COURT.

Woman Who Was Arrested by a Disguised Officer Tried to Get Revenge.

Louise Palmer, a resident of a disorderly house, struck Special Officer Peter Angelo while he was testifying against her before Magistrate Selwart yesterday. Angelo was disguised as a laborer when he arrested the woman for walking in the streets. He was dressed in a suit of blue overalls, and while the woman knew the officer, his disguise completely deceived her. She accosted him in the street. The officer immediately arrested her.

Enraged over the manner in which she had been deceived, she lost all control of herself and struck the officer a blow between the eyes while he was explaining the arrest to Magistrate Stewart. The woman was immediately fined $50, which she paid, and was then released.

CROWD AT ORGAN RECITAL.

Two Big Donations Nearly Pay for Instrument—West End Church's Progress.

Over 1,200 persons attended the organ recital of the new pipe organ at the West End Methodist church, South Main street, last evening. The organists were Prof. Ernest P. Jores of the Third Presbyterian church, in this city, and Miss Rena Lee Stewart of Emmanuel church, Allegheny. The organists were assisted by George Jones, baritone, of the Trinity Lutheran church, Allegheny, and David Stevens, tenor, of the Arch Street Presbyterian church, Allegheny.

The principal numbers on the program were "Fugue," in D minor, by Prof. Jores, and "Toccata," in G major, by Miss Stewart. The recital was for the organ fund, on which about $3,000 has been raised, Capt. John A. Wood having donated $1,000 and Andrew Carnegie $1,000. The balance is in smaller sums. The Rev. David Monaghan, pastor, is encouraged over the church's rapid growth. In one year a big debt has been paid, in addition to the purchase of the organ and other things.

To Lecture on Irish History.

The O'Geowney Gaelic society, which for some months has been conducting Irish language classes, is about to take up the study of Irish history also. A course of lectures will be given. The course will open on Saturday evening in the Lyceum hall, Washington street, with a lecture by Bernard MacGillian on "The Life and Times of Owen Roe O'Neill." There will be no charge for admission. Several Gaelic songs will be rendered also.

Dr. McGill Held for Court.

Dr. Clarence E. McGill, the Avalon dentist charged with making and passing counterfeit half dollars in Avalon, was held in $2,500 for court at a hearing before United States Commissioner W. T. Lindsey yesterday afternoon. J. S. McGill, brother of the accused, furnished the bail.

NOT A JUNKET IS THIS TRIP

Councilmen and Others Will Pay Their Own Way to Inspect Preliminary Filtration.

MORE ABOUT HUMP REMOVAL

A delegation of councilmen, members of the chamber of commerce and of the East End and Oakland boards of trade will go to Philadelphia tomorrow night to examine into the merits of preliminary filtration. It is claimed that a preliminary filter installed in the Pittsburgh filtration system will save $1,000,000 of the cost of the plant and also reduce materially the expense of maintenance.

The trip it is declared will not be a junket, for each of the travelers will pay his own expenses. No part of them will be borne by the owners of the patents for the preliminary filters.

The Republican members of councils inaugurated the movement and at a caucus it was agreed that Jonathan A. Perley, William Brand, Dr. A. M. Barr and others who may desire shall go to Philadelphia.

William H. Stevenson, a former member of common council and an advocate of preliminary filtration, will not go on the trip. He has looked into the question before. Mr. Stevenson says that 25 per cent of the cost of maintaining the filtration system, as at present planned, can be saved by using preliminary filters. Controller Larkin also approves of preliminary filters, at least he thinks that experiments ought to be conducted to learn whether preliminary filtration cannot be made as useful in Pittsburgh as it was found to be in Philadelphia.

The Republican members of councils are insisting that councils ought to have information concerning the cost of removing the Fifth avenue hump. They do not deny the correctness of Director Bigelow's estimate of the cost of the actual work, but they fear that the damages which will have to be paid to corporations and property-owners will exceed the director's estimates by many thousands.

Director Bigelow says the earth and rock excavated during the process of the hump removal can be towed in barges to Brunots Island. As the filling up of the island will benefit the Philadelphia Company, which owns the property, it is probable that the company will bear the cost of taking the dirt away and unloading it. The removal will not be serious interruption to traffic, the director says, as while Grant street is being lowered a bridge over that street will take care of the traffic up and down Fifth avenue, and when Fifth avenue is cut down the traction companies can use Fourth and Sixth avenues.

The public works committee was to have met yesterday afternoon, but there was no quorum, too many members having attended the opening baseball game. A. G. Roenigk's resolution to bore artesian wells and a lot of routine business, such as grading and repaving streets, will come up at the meeting this afternoon.

The special committee authorized to estimate the value of the plants of the Monongahela Water Company and the Pennsylvania Water Company, that the figures may be incorporated in the proposed filtration bond issue, will meet tomorrow morning at 9 o'clock. Councilman John F. Sommelrock is the chairman of the committee.

FINE PICTURES SHOWN.

Pittsburgh Art Lovers Favored With Exhibition of David B. Walkley's Work.

David B. Walkley, an artist, whose work adorns the walls of many of the finest residences in Pittsburgh, has one of the most pretentious private collections of paintings ever brought here on view in Wunderley's galleries in Sixth avenue. The exhibit numbers more than a score of canvasses, including landscapes, studies from still life and figures.

Mr. Walkley's landscapes possess an atmosphere that distinguishes them from the photographic school of modern painting. The ever-changing hues of the twilight sky, the mysterious radiance of the afterglow, the shimmering shadow on the transparent stream and the indescribable tone of animation in nature seems to have been reproduced by his brush through that inspiration which comes only after a long life spent in outdoor solitudes. Mr. Walkley will spend the summer in Europe. His exhibition will close here next week.

BID WAS TOO LOW.

Only $2,550 Offered of Old Police Station Site in Center Avenue.

Director Moore of the department of public safety, accompanied by his chief clerk, Elias Johns, and Harry McKnight, an auctioneer, went to the old No. 2 police station in Center avenue yesterday for the purpose of selling the building at public auction. The highest bid was $2,550, made by John Kelly, a saloonkeeper.

Director Moore refused to accept this amount, as he thinks the property is worth more. Director Moore will try to sell the property at auction on July 21.

Builders' Exchange League Has New Laws.

The corporation committee of the Builder's Exchange league yesterday adopted a new set of bylaws and constitution. There are some radical changes from the old laws, one of which creates the position of general secretary in addition to the present secretary. The duties of the general secretary will be virtually that of a general manager. It is thought P. K. Stephenson will be elected to the place.

Workmen Lease Glass Factory.

The old organization of window glass workers yesterday leased the 36-blower tank factory at Brownsville. The property includes 10 acres of farming land and 27 dwellings. The union intends leasing or buying other factories with a view of furnishing employment to all idle members.

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John Dean, a negro, entered suit against the steamer, Columbia, before United States Commissioner Lindsay yesterday, to recover $8.50 wages due. The hearing was set for 4 o'clock and when the persons connected with the boat appeared, Dean was sleeping in the corridor and could not be aroused. The money was left with Commissioner Lindsay. When Dean awoke he explained that he had not had any sleep for three days and could not help falling off. He was given his money.

Caught Under Lumber Pile.

James Apwell, aged 9, of 924 Main street, Allegheny, was caught under a collapsing lumber pile at the West Penn freight yards yesterday morning and received several scalp wounds. He was taken to the Allegheny General hospital.

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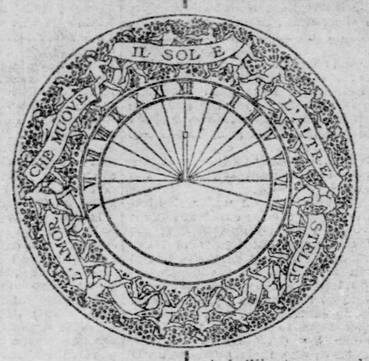

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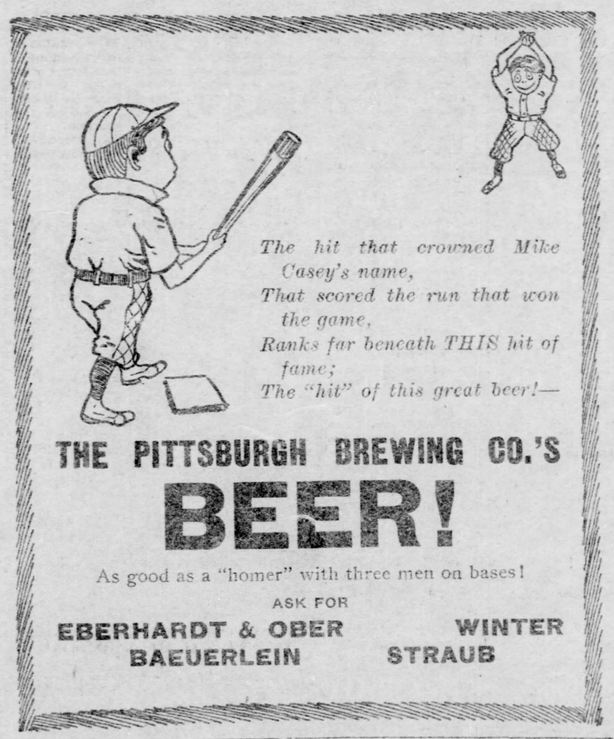

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Friday, April 22, 1904.

In the death of Commodore William J. Kountz this community loses an energetic citizen of more than local fame. Mr. Kountz passes to the silent majority after a long and active life, in the fullness of years, yet leaves a vacancy not easily filled. He achieved success in his youth in the fields then open for such achievement; he attained renown during the dark days of the rebellion, in old age he remained active and vigorous. Such a man naturally leaves an impress upon the community in which his life is spent and Commodore Kountz will be long remembered.

We learn from the Monongahela Republican that the alleged gas gusher at that place is a very ordinary well. One of the owners informs that paper that gas enough is obtained to supply the manufacturing plant for which it was drilled, but not enough to warrant development for the purpose of piping it away. This owner and the Republican, however, are silent on the most important phase of the story sent out from Monongahela, namely, whether the gas is obtained at a depth of 4,300 feet, or whether it comes from the ordinary producing strata of Washington county. From a scientific point of view the rock and flowing pressures are of less interest than the level and character of the productive rock.

Unexpectedly fine weather appeared for the opening game of the baseball season in Pittsburgh, which encouraged the attendance of a large and enthusiastic crowd. Pittsburgh shows no signs of declining interest in the national game as a result of the winning of three successive pennants by the local team, and it has always been one of the best ball towns on the circuit. It is gratifying, of course, that the first game on the home grounds was won by the Pittsburgh club. The fact that Philadelphia has broken the winning streak of the New York team also lends interest to the day's results. The race is very young yet and the pennant is within the reach of any club that can play the fastest ball during the weeks to come.

From Paris comes the latest story of possible mediation between Japan and Russia. King Edward is no longer the active peace agent, but Uncle Sam is brought to the front, acting through a pair of fair daughters who are very gracious and popular. This latest dream of speedy peace makes of the empress of Japan the moving power and has in its favor the reasonable assumption that the gentle empress would welcome peace, as would the empress of Russia. But we fear this dream is no more practical than that which pictured King Edward as mediator between his relative, the czar of Russia, and his ally, the emperor of Japan. The question in the far east is one of domination. It will be settled, but not by peaceful negotiations. There must be a measuring of swords and of strategy and a letting of blood first. When grief overcomes rage and reigns over two capitals the mediator will be welcomed to his task, and it is as likely to be Uncle Sam as another. But not now.

Massachusetts Democrats yesterday voted instructions for Richard Olney and adopted the unit rule to govern the action of the delegation to the St. Louis convention. This was done by an overwhelming majority in face of the loud protest of George Fred Williams. The unit rule applies equally to voting upon a platform as to a vote for presidential candidate. The day before the West Virginia Democratic convention selected delegates favorable to the nomination of Senator Gorman as first choice and Judge Parker as second, and so instructed them. Thus the week has yielded nothing for William Randolph Hearst and nothing but bitterness for William Jennings Bryan. To them it matters naught whether the instructions are for Parker, or Gorman, or Olney, for they class them all together and their names spell defeat for Chicago and Kansas City platform issues. New York, Pennsylvania, West Virginia and Massachusetts in one week looks like an almost solid east, and there is good reason to believe the solid south will come in on the same lines. The Democracy is going to change front, that is certain. The uncertainty now apparent is whether or not the party is to be again divided. That depends upon William J. Bryan, George Fred Williams, William R. Hearst and their like, who have the privilege of bolting that was exercised in 1896 by a large number of distinguished and respectable Democrats who refused to spurn the cross of gold. There is not much chance of Democratic success at the polls in November, but if the party is redeemed from populism this year it will be a worthy achievement.

Mr. Bryan is off the reservation in full war paint, bent on taking Judge Parker's scalp. The only candidate so far named against whom he has not brandished his tomahawk and scalping knife is Editor Hearst. Meanwhile his ability to do anything more than sound his warwhoop grows steadily less, and the Hearst movement is plainly among the rocks and shallows. From Virginia come reports that the politicians are falling in line for Parker. National committeeman Taggart of Indiana, who has been quoted as conceding Hearst's success in that state, declares that it will be solid for Parker and that Hearst will not get a single delegate. The Hearst boomers have just been defeated in their effort to obtain an early date for the Texas convention, and it is regarded as practically certain that Texas will send a delegation instructed for Parker. Kentucky, also, where at one time Hearst was making headway, is now reported to be solid for Parker.

Investigating Filters.

Nothing but praise is due to the business men representing the chamber of commerce, East End board of trade and Oakland board of trade and those members of councils who are going to Philadelphia to investigate preliminary filtration. It is assumed they are going with their minds open to conviction according to the facts; that they are determined to find out the truth and not merely to find corroboration of preconceived theories. If so, they should be able to bring back data conclusive and convincing upon the possible advantages and economies of the preliminary system as to whether they actually exist or do not.

There is no difference of opinion in this city upon the vital proposition that Pittsburgh must have a better water supply. Barring a few chronic malcontents the public is satisfied that the best means for obtaining pure water is slow sand filtration—the method of nature. It is averred, however, that so-called preliminary filtration makes the process of purification much shorter than by the old method of simply passing the water through beds of sand and gravel. We all know the preparation of such ideal beds enables purification more rapidly than by nature's method with the ordinary arrangement of materials in a state of nature. It is just possible this new method may be superior to the older one and so it is proper that it should be thoroughly investigated, especially as it is claimed to be much cheaper.

This matter of filtration is before the public for final disposition. It should have been disposed of years ago. But as it was not there is no good reason why it should not now be disposed of in the best way possible. A delay of a few weeks to make sure will not be criminal. It should be understood, however, in the beginning that no changes shall be made in the plan for slow sand filtration unless it can be shown beyond doubt that they will not give less efficient results. Saving in cost at the expense of depreciation in the quality of water delivered will not justify new plans. Nothing will justify a reopening of the whole subject and a delay of months or years in the beginning of this necessary work for the banishment of preventable disease.

Up to date inspection of the preliminary filters at Philadelphia has been productive of positive assertions only. We are told they effect an economy of millions in first cost and of thousands annually in maintenance and that the final product is pure water, entirely free from foreign substances carried in solution and equally free from pathogenic germs. To justify the adoption of this system, however, those assertions must be proven. There must be data and demonstration that will make plain to the ordinary mind these alleged truths. Every voter cannot go to Philadelphia to see the filters at work. They must know the how and why of the much-vaunted process, and if that gives fair assurance of economy with efficiency they will gladly accept an amendment to the proposed bond ordinance which is to be submitted for their final approval.

The Colorado Dictatorship.

In his "American Commonwealth" Professor Bryce remarks that the state of Rhode Island has gone through as great a variety of experiments in government as some of the little states of ancient Greece. The condition in Colorado at present reproduces some of the political phases of ancient Rome, when the regular operation of law was suspended and military authority reigned supreme. The parallel is impressively exact. In Colorado as in ancient Rome the disturbances first engulfed local authority, bands of rioters terrorized communities, outrages upon personal rights were perpetrated, accompanied by scattered homicides, and then came a military dictatorship with proscription in its train.

For months past some counties of Colorado have been under martial law and the ordinary administration of justice has been superseded by military authority. Agitators not citizens of the state have been arrested and sent beyond its boundaries under orders not to return. Those of the same class, who are citizens of Colorado, have been arrested and held practically as prisoners of war. Writs of habeas corpus have been annulled by sheer refusal of military authority to recognize them and during the present week it seemed likely that the process of the supreme court of the state would be thus contemned and defied. Gov. Peabody, however, finally concluded to comply with the writ, retaining, however, custody of the person ordered to be produced in court. This person was Charles H. Moyer, president of the Western Federation of Miners, and he was brought to Denver yesterday in charge of a detachment of state troops. On arrival the train was met by Secretary Haywood of the Western Federation of Miners, who greeted Moyer. An altercation occurred in which Haywood knocked down a captain of the soldiers and was put under arrest. Upon being taken to the Oxford hotel, trouble broke out again, and Haywood is reported to have knocked two soldiers down, but he was clubbed with muskets into insensibility. The police arrived on the scene but the soldiers refused to surrender Haywood. Thus the authority of the state as embodied in the Denver police force is arrayed against the authority of the state as embodied in the military, and it is a question to be decided whether the judicial authority of the state will be recognized. Governor Peabody is now acting purely and simply as a military dictator and the significant feature of the situation is that he appears to be supported by the property owners of the state. What began as a dispute between the miners' union and the mining companies has developed into a state of civil war in which acts of arson and murder have been committed until dictatorship and proscription has emerged just as in ancient Rome.

Here is a situation that thoughtful citizens cannot but regard with shame. There is something wrong with American institutions when they produce such results. And it behooves us to apply a remedy, or worse will probably ensue. There are signs, not only in Colorado but in other states, that we have strayed into the same downward path by which the republics of the ancient world went to destruction.

The New Japanese Base.

The gulf of Ching Tai Tse, reported in a Russian dispatch as the point on which Japanese transports are now moving, is 12 miles west of Takushan, on the flank of the Liao Tung peninsula. It is a good place as a base either for operations flanking the Russian positions west of the Yalu on the road from Antung, or for a movement upon the railway line extending to Port Arthur, 150 miles from the southwest. Ching Tai Tse is the northernmost inlet of the bay of Korea which bounds the Liao Tung peninsula on the east. Japanese control of the sea enables them to pick the landing place that suits them best, baffling any attempt of the Russians to anticipate their movements. The Russians have been busy making concentrations of force to oppose a landing at the head of the Laoi Tung gulf, and at the same time to resist Japanese advance across the Yalu on the direct road from Korea. The Japanese appear to have selected a base midway on the Russian lines in a locality that will compel an extensive readjustment of Russian plans. The Russians' dilemma is that if they now hasten to take positions across the new line of Japanese advance they may suddenly find that another landing is taking place in the Liao Tung gulf, or an advance is going on across the Yalu.

The roads from Ching Tai Tse traverse a level country, suited to infantry operations, but it is cut up by dykes and interspersed with creeks and bogs, so as to be unsuitable for cavalry operations. It is a well-selected place for Japanese purposes and the establishment of a base there will make of small account the lines of defense which the Russians have established on the main highway from Korea into Manchuria, winding through the mountain passes of the Mo Tien Ling range. The Japanese do not intend to butt their heads against the Russian barriers, but will flank them, and this is the significance of the appearance of the Japanese transports at Ching Tai Tse.

Mr. Bryan announces, in an interview, that he will not declare for any candidate for the Democratic presidential nomination in his speech at Chicago next Saturday, but will confine his remarks to the New York and other platforms. Evidently Mr. Bryan intends to continue his negative process of selecting a candidate. He has already declared against every man in the field except Hearst.

A story from Columbus says John D. Rockefeller plans to control all the necessaries of life. Since the eclipse of J. Pierpont Morgan someone's name must be used in such dreams, and Rockefeller's sounds good enough to almost anyone.

Daughters of the American Revolution demand the expulsion of Reed Smoot from the senate. That ought to settle the matter. They might become mothers of a revolution if their demands are not acceded to.

Three baseball pennants ought to satisfy most any city, but Pittsburgh is going after the fourth just the same. Can't possibly do without it, now that it has become a habit with us.

St. Petersburg is beginning to accept Admiral Togo's version of the disaster to the Petropavlovsk and is trying to resign itself to the loss of Port Arthur in the near future.

The next issue of the Commoner ought to be interesting reading since Massachusetts' Democrats have indorsed Richard Olney for the presidential nomination.

One liquor license applicant admitted in court that he diluted his whisky with water, and his license was promptly granted. Is this to be made a precedent?

The Pirates have begun to avenge the insults suffered at the hands of the Reds. There will be "something doing" from now till the end of the season.

Speaking of Alexieff's desire to resign it may be noted that Kuropatkin does not even give him the opportunity to send the "regret to report" dispatches.

A book has arrived at Allegheny Carnegie library as a gift from its founder. Better search between the leaves. May be a check concealed there.

While the filter plan is delayed Director Moore seems inclined to give us pure milk at least. Ought to force milkmen to use only distilled water.

Admiral Skrydloff and Admiral Alexieff are not friends. But then Admiral Togo must have some kindly feeling toward the Russian viceroy.

An aged citizen of Westmoreland county proves by his diary that 18 inches of snow fell on May 4, 1884. Don't let it occur again.

It is said in his favor that Judge Parker has the courage of his convictions. It would be a mighty poor judge who hadn't.

That Pittsburgh's growth is continuous is shown by the fact that we have just been allowed four new letter carriers.

The cold weather has, so far at least, frosted a lot of spring poetry, which is something for which to be thankful.

We should have had our baseball opening a month ago, as it brought some real sunshine.

The Quiet Observer

ERASMUS WILSON.

What has become of the school ma'am?
She used to be abundantly in evidence whenever social topics were up for discussion.

Wouldn't it be interesting, if not instructive, to know where she stands, or where she is at, on the matrimonial question and its various side issues?

And then there is that other question, Why is she a teacher?

There is a widespread impression that she teaches for the love of it and for the good she may do in the world—a really humane, as well as human, philanthropist. This sort, you know, labors for love rather than for money. As a rule, however, she is willing to take part pay in cash and trust to the good fairies for the balance.

Those who have long labored under the impression that she works for love and not for a salary may have been greatly surprised, if not shocked, when she came out boldly and demanded more money, claiming that she is not getting as much for her work as others do whose duties are less exacting, and who don't have to dress and to appear as stylish as she, nor to be nearly as entertaining.

It took a long time to develop the nerve necessary to make her demands. Now that they have been made she feels much relieved and seems to enjoy the commotion she has started. It gives other women something to talk about, which in itself is a good turn.

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While the boom was booming loudest she couldn't be heard. Salaries of other capable people were raised rapidly, some like unto skyscrapers. But not that of the teacher.

The boomers, not being able to see cash returns from the money devoted to paying her salary, gave the matter no further attention, or at most promised to take it up after the boom had subsided.

Now that it has subsided—has been subsided for more than a year—she is reminding him of his promise to take the matter up and see what can be done about it.

For him to affect surprise will be no surprise to those who are familiar with the ways of the boomer and promoter. He never is really surprised; or at least he never shows it. Therefore, when he outwardly seems to be in a state of surprise he is inwardly as cool as a cucumber.

The boom promoter rushes things, while the teacher wins through earnest effort. The one carries strongholds by dashing assaults, the other by laying siege to them and persistently pegging away until they surrender, or are worn out entirely.

She is not much of a striker, but as a kicker—well, no matter as to that. Suffice it to say she knows what she wants—most always does—and when she sets herself to get it, whether a new hat or a raise of salary, she will win out, and then and there forget all about the tears she shed and the scraps she had, and go right on as sweet and smiling as though her life had been serenity itself.

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All things considered, the average teacher is poorly paid for her labor.

One reason for this is that so many people, not excepting school directors, look upon the position as a snap, soft sit, a picnic. Nor can you get these to think otherwise; at least not without a good deal of trouble.

The same is thougat about clerkships, newspaper work and the like, and all because it is mainly inside work and looks to be easily done.

Many there are who have learned by experience that they were sadly mistaken in their notion about such positions as these. Because a bank is only open for six hours a day doesn't prove that the officers and clerks only work during these hours. Much of their more important work is done before and after banking hours.

So with the teacher. She may only be engaged five or six hours in teaching, but she has a lot of work to do before and after teaching hours.

Nor is teaching easy work. On the contrary it is very tiresome work, and only those who have tried it can know the strain a teacher is under from start to finish of the school day. Not only does she have to hear recitations, but she has to maintain order, answer questions, demonstrate lessons, help slow pupils along, discipline the mischievous and keep in a good humor herself.

The picnic phase of school teaching is all in your mind, as you may very soon discover by taking a turn at it.

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And then in addition to the regular strain she is more or less worried about her position, for she knows there are dozens waiting for places, many of whom have pulls through friends of their families in the ward, or in councils, or in places of power.

As you probably know, politics enters into school affairs some, the general denial of the fact to the contrary notwithstanding. Nor should this be at all surprising since there is some politics in everything, churches and public institutions not excepted.

And, as a matter of course, school boards want to show how economically they can run their schools; hence the disposition to get everything as cheaply as possible.

You may have heard directors boasting of how cheaply their schools were run. And in all probability, if you had inspected the school carefully, you would have found it to be equally cheap.

Some there are who haven't anything like a correct idea of the value of schooling. They think because their children are carried through the course they are well schooled. This is one of the greatest, and may prove one of the costliest, mistakes of their lives.

None but good teachers can teach well, no matter how much they may know themselves, nor what fine certificates they may have. Teachers, like other successful specialists, are born with a talent for their particular work.

One born teacher is worth a dozen of any other sort, no matter where they may have been shaped up and fitted to the business.

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There is a general, but not a concerted, movement on the part of teachers the country over to secure better pay.

Can you blame them?

They argue that employes in every other branch of business have had their salaries raised from time to time to correspond with the increased cost of living, while they have been working according to the old schedule.

And then there is a good deal of talk about pensioning those who have devoted their lives to school work.

The principal argument in favor of this is that the wages paid to teachers scarcely more than keeps them from year to year, so that they cannot save anything for rainy days, much less accumulate a fund upon which to retire after their teaching days are done.

Seeing that teachers are the faithful friends of the people, and do so much for the betterment of society in particular and the world in general, they should be well cared for. They are great civilizers, in that they fit boys and girls for the duties that must necessarily devolve upon them when they become men and women.

In spite of our loud professions of Christianity and our boasted charity, there is still enough of the old Adam left to cause us to work our weaker and more willing servants to the limit and to give them but poor thanks when they can do no more.

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Male teachers are, as a rule, much better paid than their sister teachers.

That is because they will not work for the poor wages paid to women. They don't have to, for they can do better in other lines of business.

Besides this, they are permitted to marry, and to have homes of their own, while female teachers are not only expected to remain single, but in many places they are required to bind themselves not to marry during the term for which they are employed.

This doesn't seem quite fair, but directors have gotten it into their heads that the positions of wife and teacher are not compatible.

But this is neither here nor there as far as their pay is concerned for the time they are employed.

And now that our teachers are getting together on the salary question, and their friends are rallying to their assistance, we may confidently look for something to happen, and that before very long.

So let us wait in patience, but not in idleness, nor even in innocuous disuetude, but do something.

And That's Where Hill Shines.

David B. Hill is doubtless strong in the belief that a high-minded statesman always needs a thoroughly practical manager when he goes into a campaign.—Washington Star.

Talked of in Gotham

GEORGE C. JENKS.

[By Private Wire to The Gazette.]

NEW YORK, April 21.—Baseball is the only thing talked about by probably 100,000 New Yorkers tonight. A large percentage of the 100,000 was at the opening league game at the Polo grounds this afternoon, where the Giants and Philadelphias fought out that Homeric battle which will be told in song and story by legions of baseball historians tomorrow morning. Weather just right, the two nines in prime condition, and the seating accommodations of the Polo field extended to hold almost any number of spectators. That is the record. Aside from comments on various fine points of play, such as afford food for opinions in every game, the principal topic in the hotel lobbies and cafes this evening is the comfort of a game at the field this year.

It was not long after the stroke of 12 o'clock noon that the clans began to gather in distant Harlem, waiting for the grounds to open. From that time for nearly three hours the "L" trains were jammed, the surface cars literally staggered under their burden of humanity, and the streets all around within a half a mile were filled with pedestrians who were taking a little exercise preparatory to sitting on hard boards for two hours. There never was a more emphatic illustration of the hold that baseball has upon the national heart than the rush to the game today. There will be many repetitions of the excitement during the season of course, but the first game of the year always comes with something of a pleasant shock in showing how everyone is interested. Incidentally, it may be remarked that the "bleachers" have been overhauled so systematically that the uncovered portion of the stand is more comfortable than it is in most baseball fields over the country. It was full of "fans" today. If the Giants do not win the pennant it will not be for lack of encouragement in their home field.

Tried to Eat Out of Prison.

Policemen will tell you that more cranks find their way into the Tenderloin station in West Thirtieth street than you will find in Bellevue. Whisky is responsible for most of the delirium, of course. A prisoner was taken into the station today in a glorious condition of irresponsibility, and after being in a cell for half an hour was discovered trying to eat his way out. He had removed all his clothing and was biting the plaster of the ceiling. He told the doorman that he was expected in Egypt tomorrow morning and was trying to get out of the cell with his teeth so that he could make his way to the Nile without loss of time. He is in the psychopathic ward of Bellevue hospital now, where the doctors are trying to get the plaster out of his mouth.

Mount Vernon's Latest Sensation.

Up at Mount Vernon—the town where the sensations come from—they have found a way to evade the law against prize fighting. Several six-round boxing bouts were held there last night, and the police did not interfere because, under their interpretation of the law, they could not. The entertainment was called a "smoker." No admission fee was charged, but each person having a seat was obliged to pay $1 for a "hat check." This hat check fiction has been worked at East Side balls from time immemorial, but it is a new idea at boxing exhibitions. If it is found that bouts can be held in public through the hat check, there is nothing to prevent all the athletic clubs in New York conducting "mills" as often as desired, in the good old way, which obtained before the repeal of the Horton law. When this was suggested to an old New York detective this afternoon he grinned as he said: "Would like to see them guys try it; that's all."

Not Up to the Yale Standard.

Verse writers in this neighborhood seem to have lost their cunning. An Orange (N. J.) alumnus of Yale offered a prize of $100 for the best college hymn for Yale. He announces that all the hymns submitted are a long way below the standard he has established, and there will be no prize given this year. Perhaps the poets who cannot fit Yale with a hymn will be able to write topical verses for De Wolf Hopper which will suit that gentleman. He has offered prizes for efforts along that line. He wants the verses to sing in "Wang."

Night Off for Telegraphers.

One of the biggest "smokers" ever given in New York will take place tomorrow night. It will be under the auspices of the New York local of the Commercial Telegraphers Union of America, and as 5,000 tickets have been sold, there is no doubt that the attendance will be enormous. Every telegrapher in the city who can get away from his key, with many from other places, will be there.

J. Pierpont Morgan will not be present, although invited, because he is in London, but "Tom" Sharkey is expected, and it is understood that Mayor McClellan, with many other prominent men in the municipal government, will drop in to see how "the boys" look when away from the exacting little instruments which usually force them to taciturnity. As a matter of fact, telegraphers are talkative when not at work, probably because they are obliged to be silent when on duty.

Quaint Fascination in Pipes.

Among the attractive offerings in a large tobacco and cigar store in Broadway are "pipes of peace," such as the Indians use when receiving new promises from government agents on western reservations. The pipes are of corncob, with red stains on them and variegated beads on a leather thing suggesting the wampum of the plains hanging to the stems. The bringing into juxtaposition of these emblems of savagery with the high civilization that roars along Broadway has a quaint fascination which causes groups of people to stand before the window all day long.

Lull Among the Politicians.

Since the holding of the Democratic convention in Albany a few days ago there has been a marked falling off in the number of Tammany followers who used to stand in front of the Hoffman house, or strolled up and down its lobby. This hotel is the great gathering place of the braves, and you can be sure of meeting there almost any important man in Tammany if you watch for him for a few hours. The settlement of affairs at the convention has relaxed political interest for the time being, however, and the hotel misses many of its habitues temporarily. The same condition can be noted at the Fifth Avenue hotel, next door, where "amen corner" is deserted, and big Republicans are absent since the adjustment of affairs by Gov. Odell and Senator T. C. Platt last week. Things will wake up in the fall, however.

Boys Starting for the Fair.

The running away of boys to the World's fair at St. Louis has begun already in New York. Every time there is a large exposition we hear of lads and lassies running away from home to visit the fair. This indicates a laudable desire for knowledge, of course, but it is trying to parents. The police are looking for a boy named Alloway, who is the first New York urchin to start the exposition running away fad this year.

Pittsburghers in New York.

The following Pittsburghers are registered at the New York hotels today:

Waldorf-Astoria.
T. W. Nevin,
W. Lyon,
W. H. Brown,
C. A. Blanchard,
R. B. Mellon,
M. W. Acheson,
R. C. Hall.

Holland.
James N. Dalbey,
R. M. Allison,
C. L. Miller.

Netherland.
Mrs. C. Samuels.

Manhattan.
J. McLaughlin.
C. A. Dickson.
Mrs. L. Sprague.
C. H. Bronson.

Plaza.
L. L. Dana.

Normandie.
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York.
J. W. Clark.
John Lawley.
Miss Rose Moore.
Miss Mary Moore.

New Amsterdam.
Miss L. Skivington.

Broadway Central.
F. Friedberg.

Fifth Avenue.
J. D. Graves.

Bartholdi.
F. C. Winship

Imperial.
S. S. Robertson.
R. L. Smithey.
P. C. Frazer.
Charles M. Miller.
Mrs. Miller.

Hoffman.
W. L. Kann.

Vendome.
M. J. Elkins.
Mrs. Gouert.
M. Snively.
P. B. Blackmore.
M. G. Cohen.

Astor.
E. H. Dewson.
W. L. Easley.

Marlborough.
H. G. Taylor.

Albemarle.
Mrs. D. T. Watson.
J. M. Tate, Jr.

Victoria.
J. A. Clark.
J. S. Lawley.

St. Denis.
J. W. Rutherford.
W. G. Negley.
Mrs. Negley.

Herald Square.
C. C. Kaufman.
C. E. Pihl.

The Nation's Capital

L. W. STRAYER.

[By Private Wire to The Gazette.]

WASHINGTON, April 21.—That time has healed the wounds made by the civil war is shown by the bill that is now pending in congress and which appropriates $200,000 to be used for marking the graves of the Confederates who died in Union prisons and for making a roster of these soldiers to be preserved in the archives of the war department. A similar bill was introduced in the last congress but did not get through. As originally introduced it made an appropriation of but $100,000 for this purpose, but it was amended by the committee on military affairs and the amount was raised to $200,000. When that bill was pending, Gen. Ludington, quartermaster general, made a report to the secretary of war, which contained some interesting facts relating to this subject as follows:

"I respectfully report that according to a report made February 6, 1869, by Brevet Brig. Gen. Alexander J. Perry, quartermaster United States army, there were buried in 89 localities throughout the country, 30,152 Confederate prisoners of war, viz: Officers, 455; enlisted men, 28,490; unknown, 726, and citizens, 481. Many of these having been buried in trenches (as in the case of the removal of the Confederate remains from Fort Delaware and Peapatch island (Pa.) to the Finns Point (N. J.) national cemetery) it would be impracticable to identify individual graves, notwithstanding the fact the names of the persons may be found on record. Approximately 9,300 Confederates were buried in national cemeteries.

Would Cost $200,000.

"Were it possible to find all such graves, the amount appropriated by the bill would be totally inadequate for the purpose stated, as at the present contract price for headstones, $2 18 each at the place of manufacture, 30,000 headstones would cost $63,900, to which should be added the cost of transportation, handling and setting, approximately $1 25 each (37,500), making a total of $101,400 for headstones, irrespective of the cost of purchase of ground and for care, maintenance and fencing the same and for compensation and traveling expenses of the commissioner provided for in the bill. From the foregoing it will appear that the sum named is not sufficient to carry out the provisions of this bill, and it will probably require about $200,000."

A statement has been prepared by the war department showing the place of burial of 26,774 Confederate ex-prisoners of war. Several places in Pennsylvania are mentioned, with the number buried at each, as follows: Chester, 213; Gettysburg, 210; Harrisburg, 4; Philadelphia, 22; Pittsburgh, 13; York, 4. Soon after the close of the war Secretary Stanton made the following report in response to a resolution of the house:

"War Department,
"Washington, D. C., July 10, 1866.

"Sir:—In compliance with a resolution of the house of representatives, dated July 12, directing the secretary of war to report the number of Union and rebel soldiers who died while held as prisoners of war, I have the honor to state that it appears by a report of the commissary general of prisoners, first, that 26,436 deaths of rebel prisoners of war are reported; second, that 22,576 Union soldiers are reported as having died in southern prisons. The reports also show that 220,000 rebel prisoners were held in the north and about 126,940 Union prisoners in the south.

(Signed.) "EDWIN M. STANTON,
"Secretary of War.

"Hon. Schuyler Colfax, Speaker of House of Representatives."

McKinley Won Southern Hearts.

Probably the bill now before congress will not be passed at this session, but it or one similar to it will be enacted in the near future beyond a doubt. President McKinley won the southern heart in his address at Atlanta on December 14, 1898, when he said:

"And while, when these graves were made, we differed widely about the future of this government, these differences were long ago settled by the arbitrament of arms, and the time has now come in the evolution of sentiment and feeling under the providence of God, when in the spirit of fraternity we should share with you in care of the graves of the Confederate soldiers.

"The cordial feeling now happily existing between the north and south prompts this gracious act and if it needed further justification it is found in the gallant loyalty to the Union and the flag so conspicuously shown in the year just passed by the sons and grandsons of these heroic dead."

Progress of Financial Legislation.

An amendment has been put on the sundry civil appropriation bill by the senate that is causing uneasiness on the part of some members of congress. The amendment is only two lines in length, but it is claimed by some of the financial sharps in the house that it is of vital importance. It merely removes the limit from the amount of subsidiary coin that may be turned out by the government. Those who have been interested in the bill introduced by Representative Hill of Connecticut, which provides that the secretary of the treasury may recoin silver dollars into subsidiary coin, fear that the result of the senate amendment, if it should become a law, would be disastrous. They interpret it to mean that the government is again authorized to buy silver in unlimited amounts for the unlimited coinage of subsidiary silver coins at the written advice of the secretary of the treasury.

But Senator Aldrich, chairman of the senate committee on finance, who is regarded as one of the best posted men of congress on financial matters and whose conservatism is highly regarded by the administration, does not see anything revolutionary or dangerous in the amendment. He says that it was put in at the request of the secretary of the treasury and the director of the mint wanted authority to recoin some of the millions of silver dollars now piled up in the treasury into subsidiary silver coins. If they could not get this authority they wanted the power to purchase silver to make into subsidiary coins. Senator Aldrich said it was too late in the session to open up a discussion of the question of recoining our silver dollars, and consequently, as a temporary alternative, the provision was put in to permit the purchase of silver for this purpose. It can be changed at any time congress sees fit. It does not commit the administration to a policy of free coinage even of small silver coins, but merely provides the means for the secretary of the treasury to meet the demands of the business interests at the present time which are for more small silver coins.

Hill Opposes the Amendment.

Representative Hill, whose bill is still pending and which was reviewed at length in this column some time ago, does not approve of the senate amendment. He says: "On this question of sound money two presidential elections have been fought and won by the Republican party, and for the Republican party to embarrass the election of a Republican house of representatives by action of this kind is to me amazing. It not only is contrary to the heretofore announced policy of the Republican party, but it is contrary to the practice of the civilized world for 10 years. Austria, Russia, Germany, France and Japan have within the last 10 years recoined into subsidiary coinage more than $494,000,000 of full tender silver instead of buying bullion.

"The United States with $580,000,000 in silver on hand—a mass of metal that would fill 500 cars and which it costs $100,000 to recount—now deliberately proposes to forever store this enormous mass and to add to the amount. Every dollar so purchased is in effect equivalent to the coinage of full legal tender, for it takes the place of full legal tender in our own currency. The necessary addition will amount to $500,000 a month and with the present law with reference to certificates, which permits the changing of $1 and $2 notes into tens, it would be entirely possible for a secretary of the treasury so disposed under this simple amendment to purchase and put into circulation $125,000,000 of additional silver."

The Man Behind the Vodka.

It is reported that the great mass of the Russian peasantry cannot become alert and reliable soldiers or sailors because of their excessive drinking of vodka, the Russian whisky, which dulls their brains and is the indirect cause of great mortality. It is the same story all over the world. The man behind the gun may be a slaughterer, but he is a Red Cross nurse compared with the man behind the bar.—Chicago Journal.

The Death Roll

Commodore William J. Kountz.

Commodore William J. Kountz, who had been critically ill for the past two weeks at the family residence, No. 900 Arch street, Allegheny, died shortly after 2 o'clock yesterday afternoon. Since early last winter Commodore Kountz had been failing in health. For some years he had been afflicted with heart weakness and several months ago went to Florida with the hope of being restored in health. The southern climate proved beneficial, and against the wishes of his family he returned home two weeks ago last Monday. From that time until his death he sank gradually. Up to the last hour he was perfectly conscious and recognized the members of his family who were with him. He was 85 years old. Commodore Kountz was born in Wellsville, O., in May, 1819, and at the age of 10 began his career as a riverman. For more than half a century he was one of the most conspicuous figures in the river trade, being known south to the gulf, and west to the headwaters of the Missouri and Yellowstone. During the civil war and for several years after he was the biggest government contractor in the country and became rich. It was during his years as commander of government supply boats in the war that he earned the title, commodore. For 17 years he was president of the Pittsburgh, Allegheny and Manchester Street Railway Company, and for several years prior to 1884 was owner of the Allegheny Mail. Of late years he had operated a brick works at Harmarville and was one of the owners of the Red Raven Splits Company. He is survived by the following children: Mrs. Thad C. Jones of St. Paul, Minn.; Mrs. W. H. Fitch of Rockford, Ill.; Mrs. R. B. Backus of New York city; Miss Lulu Kountz and George Kountz of Allegheny. No arrangements have been made for the funeral. The varied and picturesque incidents of the commodore's life were recounted in last Monday morning's Gazette.

Mrs. Henrietta E. Butler.

Mrs. Henrietta E. Butler, president of the Lawrence County Women's Christian Temperance union, and one of the most widely known temperance workers in the state, died at her home in New Castle, Wednesday night. She was born at Beaver Falls 67 years ago and was graduated from Duff's college, Pittsburgh. Later she was an instructor at the Edinboro State Normal school and also at Marshall college in West Virginia, after which she taught in the public schools at New Castle until 1870, when she became the wife of Abiah Butler of New Castle, who survives her with the following children: John, William, Frank, Miss Christina and Miss Jean, all of New Castle. She also leaves two brothers and two sisters, John R. and Eli Evans of Ellwood City; Mrs. E. J. Warnock of North Sewickley and Miss Christina Evans of New Castle. Mrs. Butler was also secretary of the Almira Home for the Aged, which she helped organize, and was a member of the First Presbyterian church, New Castle. Her remains will be buried from the Slippery Rock Presbyterian church on Saturday morning.

George Tann.

George Tann, until recently proprietor of a hotel in Tenth street, Pittsburgh, was found dead yesterday morning in his bed at the Atlas hotel, East Pittsburgh, of which he was the proprietor. He had been complaining during the night of heart trouble. Mr. Tann was widely known in Pittsburgh and throughout the county. He was a member of Smoky City company No. 54, Uniform Rank, Knights of Pythias; Knights of Pythias No. 183; Lawrence castle No. 26, Ancient Order Knights of the Mystic Chain; Ft. Pitt conclave No. 429, Heptasophs; Carnegie lodge No. 831, Benevolent and Protective Order of Elks; Knights of Fidelity, and Foresters court, City of Pittsburgh, No. 3. He is survived by a widow and one son, Dr. I. R. Tann, a dentist of Crafton.

Mrs. Hannah Swan Keeth.

Mrs. Hannah Swan Keeth, aged about 60, mother of Mrs. Russell, wife of the Rev. Dr. Robert M. Russell, pastor of the Sixth United Presbyterian church, North Highland and Stanton avenues, East End, died last evening at Dr. Russell's home in Mercer, Pa., of apoplexy. Mrs Keeth formerly resided in this city. Dr. and Mrs. Russell have been in Mercer since Mrs. Keeth's illness became serious.

Michael Reilly.

Michael Reilly, aged 65, died suddenly at the home of Peter Nugent, one mile back of Sewickley, yesterday. He was visiting at the home of Mr. Reilly, a cousin. The funeral will take place from the home of his nephew, Patrick Reilly, in Leetsdale, with whom he made his home.

Obituary Notes.

Perry A. Wilbur, for many years a prominent resident of New Castle, is dead at Middleboro, Mass. He was 80 years old.

W. E. Hartsough, president of the Missouri State Grange four years, and an officer of the National Grange many years, died at Liberty, Mo., yesterday, aged 73 years.

Mrs. John Sanderbeck and her

EXPERT TO TALK ON ELECTRICITY

W. Elwell Goldsborough Will Lecture Tonight in "Tech" School Course.

TO DESCRIBE ST. LOUIS WORK

Pittsburgh will hear this evening at the Carnegie Music hall an address upon "Electricity as a Factor in Expositions" by Prof. W. Elwell Goldsborough, director of electrical engineering at Purdue university, Lafayette, Ind., and chief of the department of electricity at the St. Louis world's fair. The work which has been done under Prof. Goldsborough's direction at St. Louis will be open for all the world to see after the end of this month, but an advance view will be had by those

Director W. Elwell Goldsborough.

who attend this evening's lecture. The lecture is in the course given by the Carnegie Technical schools.

Prof. Goldsborough, although already eminent in his profession, is but 32 years old. He is a native of Baltimore. He graduated from Cornell in 1892 as a mechanical engineer and a little later took charge of the electrical work of the International Correspondence schools of Scranton. He served for a year as professor of electrical engineering at Arkansas university and was then called to Purdue, and in 1897 he was elected director of electrical engineering in that university.

In addition to his university work Prof. Goldsborough has been connected as an expert with much important commercial work. At the Platt street station in Baltimore he conducted a series of experiments that resulted in the remodeling of the entire plant.

Prof. Goldsborough was a member of the International Electrical Congress at Chicago and was present at all the electrical gatherings at the Omaha and Buffalo expositions. He was one of the delegates of the American Institute of Electrical Engineers to the Paris exposition of 1900. For the Union Traction company of Indiana which owns the largest interurban electric railway system in existence, operating 170 miles of track, he has for some time been directing determinations of economic performance and efficiency that have awakened much interest.

BANKERS SENTENCED.

Prominent Indiana Men Guilty of Wrecking Bank Get Long Prison Terms.

INDIANAPOLIS, IND., April 21.—James Broderick, president, and W. L. Collins, cashier of the Indiana National bank at Elkhart, were sentenced today by Judge Anderson of the United States district court on their pleas of guilty to violations of the banking laws which resulted in the failure of the bank for $642,000. Broderick was sentenced to the penitentiary for 10 years and Collins for six years.

Walter Brown, director of the bank, member of the Republican state committee from the Tenth district and member of the staff of Gov. Durbin, was sentenced to eight years in the Leavenworth penitentiary by Judge Anderson for participation in the wrecking of the bank. He has been sick in bed from nervous collapse since being found guilty.

TO INVESTIGATE RAILROADS.

West Virginia Congressman Introduces a Resolution.

WASHINGTON, April 21.—Representative Gaines of West Virginia has introduced a resolution reciting that "it is a matter of common statement," that the Pennsylvania railroad system, the Baltimore & Ohio Company, the Chesapeak Railway company and the Norfolk & Western Railway company have plans designed to effect a "community of interest" including ownership of portions of the stock or bonds of some of the companies by the others and changes in the boards of directors, by which common control or direction has been and is being applied to the operation and rates of the lines mentioned.

The resolution concludes with provision for an investigation of these allegations by the interstate commerce commission which is to report its findings to the house on or before December 31, 1904. The resolution was referred to the committee on interstate and foreign commerce.

New Coaling Station in Pacific.

SAN FRANCISCO, CAL., April 21.—A coaling station will be established in the Aleutian islands by the United States government. The navy collier Saturn, which has been lying in port awaiting orders since December 26 last, has received orders to proceed with her cargo of 4,300 tons of coal to Kyska, an island of the Rat Group, in latitude 52 north, longitude 177 east, where the coal will form the nucleus of a new station for United States vessels.

Burial of Harry H. Smith.

WASHINGTON, April 21.—The remains of Harry H. Smith, former journal clerk of the house of representatives and an authority of parliamentary law, were interred at the Oak Hill cemetery in this city today. The Rev. Dr. F. D. Power of the Christian church officiated. Representatives of the Grand Army of the Republic and many of Mr. Smith's former associates here attended the funeral.

Postmasters Are Appointed.

WASHINGTON, April 21.—The president today sent to the senate the following nominations for postmasters of Pennsylvania: Samuel A. Smith, Indiana; Henry D. Ruth, Lansdale; Daniel F. Williams, Sharon, West Virginia; Albert G. Holt, Kenovah; Ohio, Louis A. Koons, Massillon.

Carrie Nation Finds Real Situation.

CHICAGO, April 21.—Mrs. Carrie Nation, the saloon smasher, arrived in Chicago today and will on next Monday commence an engagement at a dime museum. This is her first appearance in such a capacity. Her salary is $300 a week.

For Steamship Line to Nicaragua.

MANAGUA, NICARAGUA, April 21.—Charles Weinberg of New Orleans has made a contract to establish a new steamship line connecting American and Nicaraguan Atlantic ports with the exclusive privilege for 25 years to navigate on rivers or branches chosen by him.

BISHOP PHELAN WILL BE HONORED AT JUBILEE

Cardinal Gibbons, Archbishop Ryan and Many Other Catholic Notables Will Be Here for the Celebration Next Wednesday.

Cardinal Gibbons, Archbishop Ryan and a number of bishops and priests of the Roman Catholic church will arrive in Pittsburgh from the east at 7:05 Tuesday evening to take part in the celebration of the golden jubilee of the Rt. Rev. Bishop Phelan. The Rev. Father Thomas Devlin, chairman of the general committee, announced the program yesterday. Several companies of the uniformed Catholic societies will be at the Union station Tuesday evening to escort the distinguished visitors to the episcopal residence in Washington street.

The celebration proper will commence with a pontifical mass in the Church of the Epiphany on Wednesday morning. There will be a great collection of the prelates of the Catholic church, including a cardinal, three archbishops, 11 bishops and a great number of priests. The procession for the mass will be formed under the direction of the Rev. Miles M. Sweeney, master of ceremonies, and will be as follows:

Procession For the Mass.

Cross bearers and acolytes, choir boys, sanctuary acolytes, Holy Ghost fathers, Passionists, Redemptionists, Capuchins, Franciscans, Carmelites, Benedictines, assistant pastors, pastors according to seniority, memorable rectors, cathedral rectors, chancellors, deans and vicar generals, Mgr. O'Connell, rector of the Catholic university, Washington; Bishop Hartley, chaplain; the Rev. S. Walsh; Bishop Colton, chaplain, the Rev. T. Conlin; Bishop Canevin, chaplain, the Very Reverend A. Bruder, O. C. C.; Bishop Garvey, chaplain; the Very Reverend J. Boyle, V. G.; Bishop Shanahan, chaplain, the Rev. F. Keane; Bishop Fitzmaurice, chaplain, the Rev. Joseph Gallagher; Bishop Pendergast, chaplain, the Rev. J. Romeiffanger; Bishop Hoban, chaplain, the Very Reverend M. Hehir, C. S. Sp.; Bishop Donahoe, chaplain, the Rev. A. A. Lambing; Bishop Horstman, chaplain, the Rev. C. Gasparich; Archbishop Moeller, chaplain, the Rev. H. McHugh; Archbishop Elder, chaplain, the Very Reverend A. M. Speckert, O. M. Cap., and the Rev. E. McKeever; the Rt. Rev. Jubilarian Bishop Phelan, chaplain, the Very Reverend William Kittell and the Rev. M. Ryan; subdeacon of mass, the Rev. Robert McDonald; sub-deacon of archiepiscopal cross and acolytes, the Rev. C. Krauss, C. SS. R., W. Dunn and A. Bloom; his grace, Archbishop Ryan, celebrant of pontifical mass, accompanied by the Very Reverend P. L. Tobin, V. G., assistant priests and the Very Reverend Edgar Zuercher, C. S. R., deacon of mass; his eminence, Cardinal Gibbons, accompanied by his chaplains, the Rev. C. A. McDermott and the Rev. Joseph Suehr.

After the mass the clergy will be entertained at an elaborate luncheon by Bishop Phelan at the Hotel Schenley. Addresses will be made by Cardinal Gibbons and Archbishop Elder, who will respond to the toast "Our Holy Father." Archbishop Ryan will reply to the toast "Our Venerable Jubilarian," the Rev. Joseph Suehr will welcome "Our Guests," and the Rev. A. A. Lambing will speak for "The Clergy of Our Diocese."

Reception at Carnegie Hall.

The reception at Carnegie hall in the evening will close the celebration. Professor Lemare will preside at the great organ, this feature being largely to show the visitors the beauties of the magnificent instrument. The speeches will include an address on the event of the day by Cardinal Gibbons; "The Papacy," Bishop Donahoe of Wheeling; "Catholic Education," Monsignor O'Connell of the Catholic university, Washington; "The Catholic American Citizen," Very Rev. Walter Elliott, C. S. P.; "The Diocese of Pittsburgh in The Last Fifty Years," Very Rev. F. L. Tobin, V. G.

When the exercises in the hall are concluded the invited guests will have an opportunity of meeting the cardinal, the archbishops and other prelates in the art gallery.

Admission to both mass and reception will be by tickets, which will be sold at a normal cost. This is done to keep the attendance within proper bonds. These tickets are now on sale at Kirner's book store, 306 Wylie avenue; Vilsack's jewelry store, Farmer's Bank building; F. M. Immekus' store, 1325 Carson street; Eble's drug store, 6000 Penn avenue; Shilling's book store, Thirty-eighth and Butler streets, and Charles Reed's store, 215 West Ohio street, Allegheny. Reserved seat coupons for the reception will be exchanged without extra charge at Vilsack's store.

Invitations to the jubilee have been extended to the mayors of the two cities, the judges of the United States circuit and county courts, several prominent city officials and representative non-Catholic professional and business men of the diocese.

COAL OPERATORS GIVE MINERS AN ULTIMATUM

Could Not Agree On Day Work Prices in Low Grade District of Allegheny Valley.

The joint conference of the coal operators of the low-grade division of the Allegheny Valley railroad ended yesterday in a deadlock. The operators refused to accede to the demands made by the United Mine Workers, and the entire matter will be referred back to the miners at a sub-district convention to be held at DuBois as soon as possible. The operators presented the union officials with an ultimatum, which will be voted upon by the miners.

National Vice President Thomas Lewis passed through the city yesterday on his way to the Ohio river field. He had been in the Meyersdale region, but did not visit Garrett. He says the prospects for settlement in that region are not encouraging. "Speaking generally," said Mr. Lewis, "the miners are getting fair concessions from the operators. Most of the scales have been adjusted in Ohio and a big majority in Pennsylvania. I do not look for any trouble in the mining industry in the bituminous region for the next two years."

President Patrick Dolan of the local district and Secretary William Dodds will go to Freeport this morning to arrange a wage scale for the miners along the West Penn railroad. There are about 20 operators in the neighborhood, who employ 3,000 miners.

REPORTED UNITED STATES WANTS FRENCH ISLANDS

PARIS, April 21.—Renewed reports are circulating here that the United States is seeking to purchase the islands of St. Pierre and Miquelon. Deputy DeMahy, former marine minister, representing the island of Reunion in an interview on the subject makes an energetic protest against the sale of the islands. The foreign office heretofore has authorized the statement that the islands will not be sold to any government.

UNITED IRISH LEAGUE WILL MEET IN NEW YORK

BOSTON, April 21.—Secretary John O'Callaghan of the United Irish League of America, announced today that New York city had been selected as the place and August 30-31 as the dates for the second biennial convention of the league. The selection has been cabled to John E. Redmond, M. P., the leader of the Irish party who has been invited to attend the American convention and select such of his colleagues as he desires to accompany him.

Captured Under an Assumed Name.

John K. Skelley of the Skelley Dry-goods company at McKeesport yesterday received word of the arrest at Anna, O., of J. H. Green, his former confidential clerk, who is charged with absconding with about $1,000 of the firm's money last summer. Green is said to have been employed at that place under the name of Charles Dillaway. Detectives were placed on his track by a letter from W. S. Melehan, town marshal of Anna, O.

Settling Hungarian Railway Strike.

BUDAPEST, HUNGARY, April 21.—The negotiations with the railroad strikers are proceeding with every prospect of success on the basis of a general amnesty and the right of meeting to discuss the wage question. A couple of passenger trains were dispatched today, guarded by military.

Great Curtain Sale at Campbell's.

Just at a time when most needed comes this unusual offer of Lace Curtains at less than half regular prices—in ½ to 2 pairs of a pattern, some lots including the soiled samples—consist of finest Nottingham, Irish Points, white Swiss, Bobinet and Ruffled Curtains—this spring's patterns and all desirable goods—at these sensational reductions:

$1.50 and $2.00 Curtains on Friday, pair 75c
$2.50 and $3.00 Curtains on Friday, pair $1.25
$4.50 and $7.50 Curtains on Friday, pair $2.98

THE PEOPLE'S STORE—FIFTH AVE.

W. M. Laird Co.

SPRING SHOE STOCKS

All ready for your buying. Overcrowded stores compel speedy selling of the surplus stock from Smithfield St. Big reductions in all lines.

W. M. LAIRD CO.

404-6-8 Market St.

Always Remember the Full Name **Laxative Bromo Quinine** Cures a Cold in One Day, Grip in 2 Days. E. W. Grove on every box. 25c

SHAFFER ANNOUNCES THE SCALE COMMITTEE

Amalgamated Men Meet in Cleveland to Consider Next Year's Wage Agreement.

Preparations have been completed for the meeting of the wage scale committee of the Amalgamated association in Cleveland next Friday. President Theodore Shaffer yesterday announced the names of the committee, as follows: P. J. McArdle, Muncie, Ind.; William Jenkins, Anniston, Ala.; Benjamin P. Jones, McKees Rocks; Fred Wilder, Terre Haute, Ind.; Joseph Rutledge, New Albany, Ind.; William J. Brown, Greenville, Pa.; John Price, Youngstown; William M. Gibson, Pittsburgh; William Eagan, Covington, Ky.; Albert Rock, East Chicago, Ind.; Richard Fitzgerald, Greenville, Pa.; Thomas Williams, Vincennes, Ind.; John Nestor, Youngstown, O.; P. H. McGowan, Birmingham, Ala.; Llewellyn Lewis, Martins Ferry, O.; Charles Brown, Piqua, O.; Andrew R. Black, Struthers, O.; R. R. Williams, Niles, O.; Richard Lynch, Martins Ferry, O.; Otto Sellers, Muncie, Ind.; William Bose, Newport, Ky.; Zaks Lones, New Castle, Pa.; John Kersey, Granite City, Ill.; T. J. Collins, Connellsville, Pa.; Thomas L. Williams, Martins Ferry, O.; William McDonald, Elwood, Ind.; John G. Jones, New Castle, Pa., and Fred Sloan, Granite City, Ill.

Arrangements are also completed for the annual convention in Cleveland, commencing May 3. President Shaffer has about completed his annual report, which will contain some interesting data.

Try 50c Business Men's luncheon, at Colonial hotel.

RUSSEL SAGE AND HETTY GREEN

Two of the Most Interesting Multi-Millionaires in the World May Come to Pittsburgh.

BIG INDUCEMENTS OFFERED

Uncle Russell, particularly, should be attracted by the opportunity afforded by the Pittsburgh Tailoring Company to buy a first-class suit of clothes made to order for $15. And it would not be at all surprising if the fame of these bargains should attract the attention of Hetty Green.

Whether these two great financial magnates come or not, we want every man who reads this announcement to come in and look at our magnificent line of Spring and Summer suitings.

We don't charge fancy prices, because we are content with small profit on each suit so long as we can do the biggest tailoring business in this part of the country.

We will make you a suit to order for $15 and give you choice of a swell, up-to-date line of suitings that can't be equaled in any other establishment in this city at anything near that price. We employ the highest priced and most artistic cutter in the city and all our clothing is made by first-class workmen.

Our stock includes the finest domestic and imported goods, and prices range from $15 to $30. We have stores in the leading cities of the country, and that's why we are able to make clothing at a price that would bankrupt a small concern. We buy to better advantage than our competitors, and give our customers the benefit. Come in, and look at the new patterns whether you are ready to leave an order or not.

Clothing pressed and repaired free for one year.

PITTSBURGH TAILORING CO.,
227 Fifth avenue.

Epilepsy

can be cured. To those afflicted this conveys a wonderful message. Though quite common, it is only a short time since it was considered incurable. The discovery that it was purely a nervous disorder has led to the application of the great nerve restorer,

Dr. Miles' Restorative Nervine

with the happy result that thousands have been completely cured, and others are being cured every day.

"In the year '92 I was stricken with epilepsy. Doctors treated me for several years, but I grew worse. I would have such awful fits. I cannot tell my awful sufferings. A druggist recommended Dr. Miles' Nervine, and I bought a bottle, and found it helped me, and I took three more and am cured. I had only one light spell after I commenced taking it. I do hope the time will come when everybody will know that your medicine cures these awful fits."

JOHN LEWIS, Clarion, Pa.

It is so sure to help that Nervine is sold under a guarantee to refund your money if first bottle does not benefit.

RECEIVERS FOR GLASS COMPANY

Campbell Concern, One of the Oldest in Pittsburgh, Unable to Meet Liabilities.

OWNS A VALUABLE PLANT

The T. Campbell Glass Company, one of the oldest glass manufacturing firms in Pittsburgh, has been placed in the hands of receivers. The company's liabilities are about $62,000 and the assets $14,000. John Good, president, and W. L. Robinson, secretary-treasurer, were appointed receivers.

The company was originally organized by the late T. Campbell, one of the pioneer glass manufacturers in this section of the country. The plant was formerly in South Twenty-first street, but was moved to Blair, a town on the Monongahela river in Jefferson township.

When the late T. Campbell disposed of his interests a new company was formed, which still retained the old name. This was organized July 30, 1888. The South Twenty-first plant was operated until 15 years ago making window glass. It was then decided, on account of gas giving out, and the congested condition of the district in which the plant was located, preventing development, to move the plant to Blair. The property now consists of one glass bottle factory, two warehouses, one pot-mixing room, and flat house, one double frame dwelling, a railroad siding and a blacksmith shop.

This plant was operated successfully until July 9, 1903, when the charter of the company was amended so that the firm could manufacture glass bottles, vials and similar articles. The plant has what is called a 16-pot furnace, and is considered one of the best in the country.

Adverse circumstances compelled the company to petition common pleas court No. 2 to place the affairs in the hands of a receiver. Attorney W. J. Brennen filed the papers January 29 of this year. J. O. C. Campbell, son of the late T. Campbell, is one of the principal stockholders. There are about 30 owners, some of whom are related to Mr. Campbell. The shares of the company are fixed at a par value of $50 each. The capitalization was for 2,000 shares, and of these 1,597 were issued.

PRESIDENT'S UNCLE REFUSES TO SERVE AS AN ELECTOR

NEW YORK, April 21.—Robert B. Roosevelt, an uncle of President Roosevelt, who was nominated as an elector by the Democratic state convention at Albany this week, has declined to accept such nomination because of his relationship to the president.

Says His Boy Is Incorrigible.

For the second time in six months Norman Ehrhart of McKeesport has been held for the action of the juvenile court on a charge of incorrigibility. Yesterday the boy's father again ordered his arrest, stating that he had gone to his grandmother's home and had stolen all her money.

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MACMAHON-M'KAY—By the Rev. William Richardson, at St. James' church, Philadelphia, March 18, 1904, WILLIAM JAMES MACMAHON and EDNA MARGARET McKAY.

DEATHS.

COOK—On Wednesday, April 20, 1904, at 5:15 a. m., at his residence, 1594 Gibson street, JOHN, husband of Louisa Dittier Cook, aged 46 years.

Funeral services Friday afternoon at 2 o'clock.

DERBAUM—On Wednesday, April 20, 1904, at 4:45 a. m., WILLIAM F., husband of Mary E. Derbaum, at his residence, corner Sycamore and Stanwix streets, Mt. Washington, aged 60 years.

Funeral services Friday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend.

HAAS—On Wednesday morning, April 20, 1904, at her residence, 23 Shingiss street, McKees Rocks, MRS. SOPHIA HAAS, wife of Fred Haas, aged 60 years.

Funeral Friday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend.

HACKWELDER—On Wednesday, April 20, 1904, at 7 p. m., RAYMOND SAMUEL, beloved son of E. S. and Weedie (Lemon Garnest), aged 2 years 5 months and 14 days.

Funeral services at the residence of the parents, 517 Eugena avenue, Avalon, Pa., this afternoon at 2 o'clock. Friends of the family respectfully invited to attend.

HINSON—On Thursday, April 21, at 6:55 p. m., JENNIE S. (nee McElvain), wife of N. C. Hinson.

Funeral services at her late residence, corner Sumner and Wolf streets, Allegheny City, on Saturday, April 23, at 3 p. m. Friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend. Interment private.

KEETH—On Thursday, April 21, 1904, at 9:40 p. m., at Mercer, Pa., HANNAH SWAN, widow of Elisha Keeth and mother of Rev. Mrs. McWatty Russell of the Sixth United Presbyterian church of Pittsburgh.

Funeral services at Mercer, Pa., Monday afternoon at 2 o'clock.

KOUNTZ—On Thursday, April 21, 1904, at 1:20 p. m., WILLIAM J. KOUNTZ, in his eighty-seventh year.

Funeral services at his late residence, 900 Arch street, Allegheny, on Saturday, April 23, at 2 p. m. Interment private. Please omit flowers.

MOORE—On Thursday, April 21, 1904, at 3 a. m., at the residence of her son-in-law, Hampton Irvin, No. 4422 Woolslayer street, MRS. ELIZA MOORE, aged 72 years.

Notice of funeral later.

NAUGHTON—At the residence of his son, Thomas Naughton, in Shaler township, near Wilson street, West Etna, on Wednesday, April 20, 1904, at 5 p. m., BARTLEY NAUGHTON, in his 64th year.

Funeral services in All Saints church on Saturday at 9 a. m. Friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend.

REAMER—On Thursday, April 21, 1904, JANE HAYS, wife of the late Josiah Reamer, in the sixty-ninth year of her age.

Funeral services at the Bethany Evangelical Lutheran church, North Highland avenue and Kirkwood street, on Saturday afternoon, April 23, at 2:30 o'clock. Interment private.

SCHAUB—On Wednesday, April 20, 1904, at 11:10 p. m., CHARLES SCHAUB, beloved husband of Caroline Schaub (nee Heyl), aged 67 years.

Funeral from his late residence, No. 4624 Liberty avenue, on Saturday morning at 9 o'clock. Requiem high mass at St. Joseph's church, Liberty avenue and Pearl streets, Bloomfield, at 9:30. Friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend.

SLEEMAN—On Wednesday, April 20, 1904, at 7 a. m., EMMA SLEEMAN (nee Lyon), wife of J. T. Sleeman, in her 29th year.

Funeral from her late residence, corner Broadway and Second street, West Park Service at First Christian church, Island avenue, McKees Rocks, Friday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock. Friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend.

TANN—On Thursday, April 21, 1904, at 5 a. m., GEORGE TANN, in his 54th year.

Funeral services at his late residence, Atlas hotel, Braddock avenue, East Pittsburgh, on Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Friends of the family and members of Smoky City Council No. 54, U. R. K. P., K. and F. No. 183, Lawrence Castle, A. O. K. of M. C., No. 26, Knights of Fidelity No. 1, Fort Pitt Conclave Heptasophs No. 429, Carnegie B. P. O. E., No. 851, Forester Court, City of Pittsburgh, No. 3 are respectfully invited to attend.

WILLIAMSON—On Thursday, April 21, 1904, at Sacramento, Cal., DONALD CURRIE WILLIAMSON, son of William and the late Annie Boyd Williamson, aged 12 years.

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LEAGUE'S MAIN OBJECTIONS BASED ON SALES TO DISORDERLY HOUSES

Judges Impose Penalty When Every Violation of This Kind Was Proved.

ALLEGHENY HEARINGS TODAY

License court judges have taken a stand on the question of new charges against applicants who had not been served with notices of the charges. The hearings in the wholesale cases developed that the principal objections of the Anti-Saloon League were to sales to disorderly houses and to women who ran speakeasies. In every case where a violation of this character was proved a penalty was inflicted, and it was intimated that this will not be the only severe license court while the Brooks law is in force.

The court adjourned late last night and then took considerable time to look into the legal questions which have been involved in the hearings of the recent applicants. Today the remainder of the Pittsburgh applicants and those in Allegheny will be heard. It is said that the hearings in Allegheny will develop some surprises.

A petition was presented asking the court to pass on the question of granting a license to the Economy Distilling Company to sell at wholesale in Pittsburgh. The court held that the company had no need of such license, as it has a license at its distillery in Beaver county. The fact that the Fleischman Distilling Company has been granted a wholesale license was cited, and the court answered that the cases were different, as its distillery is in another state.

Joseph Exler, No. 502 Grant street, was the first applicant to have serious trouble. He was charged with selling to resorts in the downtown districts and with making deliveries in sugar barrels. He denied this, and said he knew nothing about the character of the houses. He was refused. Myer B. Gallinger, Nos. 429-432 First avenue, sandwiched in between a disorderly house and a saloon, was refused because he diluted his whisky, but said he used water to bring its strength to a proper standard. He was granted his license, but it developed that Gallinger is about to move and that Morris Jackson is an applicant for his old stand. Gallinger said his rent had been doubled and that was why he wanted to change locations. The court said this should have been stated at the first hearing, and both applications will now be considered together.

Stephen G. Rovnianek, No. 318 Third avenue, was charged with doing an illegal business from his wagons. Frank Rucher was the chief witness against him. It developed they had been partners and that there was a dispute between them. Rucher said he would not have been in court had it not been for the dispute, and the court granted the license.

The Pittsburgh Brewing Company's application for its main offices in the Carnegie building came up, and was granted, but with the same 15 days' penalty that the court placed on all its breweries.

Mrs. Mary Powers, No. 545 Sixth avenue, was opposed by the league, but the court ruled out a remonstrance because notice had not been given. Objections were made to her son's connection with the business, and she said she would dispense with his services if given a license. No decision was made.

The Crystal Water Company of No. 902 Fifth avenue encountered trouble on account of selling to houses having no license. Bennie Nieman of No. 1000 Fifth avenue had the same trouble. Raphael & Zeugschmidt locked horns with the court on the same charge. Mark Brownsky of No. 814 Wylie avenue got through all right, but his sister-in-law, Yetta, of No. 1227 Fifth avenue, had some trouble.

Harry Breman and William McKelvey, applying in the Eighth ward, were held over. McKelvey had a good hearing, but the hearing of John D. Kane, who, it was alleged, had supplied McKelvey's trade during last year, had an injurious effect.

Samuel H. Haller was given 60 days for bottle trade in Washington county. Theodore Geiselhart of No. 1919 Penn avenue was given 15 days for selling to alleged disorderly houses. Hinchey & Reilly were given 30 days on the same charge. All new cases were held over pending a decision this morning. The day's results were as follows:

First Ward.

Granted—Hall & Hall, 8-9 Diamond square; Fh. Hamburger, 401-407 Wood street; Schuetz & Renzshausen, 100-102 Market street. Held over—Jesse Favey, 329 Liberty avenue; Solomon Rosenbloom, 29-30 Diamond square.

Second Ward.

Granted—George H., J. K. & R. R. Bennett, 101 Smithfield street; Clark & Clark, 406 Water street; DeLong & Reinhold, 605-611 Second avenue; Morris Forst, 260 Smithfield street; Catherine M. Finch, 12 Smithfield street; Williams Holmes Company, 230-234 First avenue; Lewin & Jackson 14 Smithfield street; Stephen G. Rovnianek, 318 Third avenue; Ernest F. Rusch, 556-558 Second avenue; Sunstein & Sunstein, 210-211 First avenue; Wesler & Weller, 382 First avenue. Held over—B. F. Jackson, 429-424 First avenue; P. J. Minahan, 542 Fourth avenue; Meyer B. Gallinger, 430-432 First avenue; John J. Sweeney, 500-502 Second avenue; Leigh W. Walker, 337-339 Water street. Refused—Joseph Exler, 502 Grant street.

Third Ward.

Granted—William J. Friday & Co., 636 Smithfield street; William J. Gilmore & Co., 426-430 Seventh avenue; S. S. Klinordinger, 968 Liberty avenue; Pittsburgh Brewing Company, 428-430 Fifth avenue; 15 days. G. W. Schmidt & Co., 339-341 Fifth avenue; Thalheimer & Benedict, 20 Diamond square; Walther-Robertson Drug Company, 436-438 Seventh avenue; George A. Kelly Company, 421-427 Seventh avenue. Passed—Duquesne Brewing Company, Farmers Bank Building.

Fourth Ward.

Granted—L. J. Adler, 953 Penn avenue; Klinordlinger & Son, 1029 Liberty avenue; O'Doherty & O'Doherty, 827 Liberty avenue; Mary E. Pollard, 951 Liberty avenue; John T. Robitzer, 717 Liberty avenue; Raphael Bros., 927 Liberty avenue.

Fifth Ward.

Granted—John C. Connor, 700 Wylie avenue; James F. McMorris, 636 Fifth avenue; Mary Powers, 545 Sixth avenue; 30 days. Held over—Frederick Heil, 636 Fifth avenue.

Sixth Ward.

Granted—Crystal Water Company, 902-904 Fifth avenue; B. N. Neaman, 1028 Fifth avenue; 60 days. Herman Obernauer, 1400 Fifth avenue; Raphael & Zeugschmidt, 1000 Fifth avenue, 90 days.

Seventh Ward.

Granted—Marks Browarsky, 814 Wylie avenue; Yetta Browarsky, 1227 Fifth avenue, 30 days.

Eighth Ward.

Held over—Harry Brennan, 1309-1311 Wylie avenue; William McKelvey, 112 Fulton street.

Ninth Ward.

Granted—S. F. Haller, 1153 Liberty avenue, 60 days; C. H. Herbert, 1124-1126 Penn avenue; W. J. Scheuster, 1226 Penn avenue; Wolf Bros., 1161 Liberty avenue. Held over—Paul Wiesthoff Company, Fourteenth street.

Tenth Ward.

Granted—John Kearns, 1539 Penn avenue.

Eleventh Ward.

Granted—Fred Mugele, 1803-1805 Fifth avenue; W. W. Walker, 2041 Center avenue. Withdrawn—Edward Browasky, 2158 Wylie avenue. Held over—J. D. Kane, 1615 Fifth avenue; Frank G. Myers, 1800 Wylie avenue.

Twelfth Ward.

Granted—Theodore Geiselhart, 1919 Penn avenue, 15 days; Henry Hagmaier, 2824 Penn avenue; J. Israel, 2913 Pennsylvania avenue; Peter Walsen, 2710 Penn avenue. Held over—Hyman Andusky, 2821 Penn avenue; Martha Dembenski, 2501 Penn avenue; Samuel W. Schwartz, 2638 Penn avenue.

Thirteenth Ward.

Granted—Christ Rasp, 5217 Brereton avenue. Held over—Nickolaus Schmidt, 2240 Wylie avenue.

Fourteenth Ward.

Granted—Pruckman & Reilly, 3706 Forbes street, 15 days; Harry De Haan, 3703 Fifth avenue.

Bottlers.

Granted—Leonard Korn, 812 East street, Allegheny, 10 days. Refused—B. A. Earl, 600 Ann street, Allegheny.

Prof. Townsend on Fish Culture.

"American Fish Culture" was the subject of an interesting lecture in Carnegie hall last night by Prof. Charles H. Townsend, director of the New York aquarium, under the auspices of the Academy of Science and Art. The lecture was illustrated by stereopticon views.

Work of the License Court at a Glance

Granted	1,279
Granted conditionally	153
Refused	367
Held over	17
Total	1,816
Applications withdrawn	54
Passed	12

BEER THIRSTS COSTLY THINGS

Pittsburgh and Allegheny Daily Consume 1,920,000 Glasses of Amber Fluid.

ABOUT BREWERY SHUTDOWN

When one remembers that it requires 1,920,000 glasses of beer daily to satisfy the thirsty citizens of Pittsburgh and Allegheny, a 15-day suspension of the breweries becomes a thing to think about.

The license court in its wisdom decided that most of the local breweries should be penalized. The penalty was a 15-day suspension, or in other words, no beer can be brewed or sold at these plants from May 1 to May 16. The combined output of the Pittsburgh Brewing Company and the Duquesne Brewing Company for the first 15 days of last May was 67,000 barrels. Beer sells at $6 a barrel. The salary roll for the Pittsburgh Brewing Company for that period was $80,000. May is counted a good average month in the brewing business.

By working the plants to the fullest capacities, enough beer could be brewed to supply the demand for the 12 actual business days for which the court has ordered a suspension. The trouble arises over the question of storage. While the penalty is in force no beer can be delivered and the average saloonkeeper does not have storage for a supply sufficient to tide him over the suspension.

The man with a thirst will find relief in this bulletin received last night from Greensburg:

Relief From Greensburg.

"The three plants of the Pittsburgh Brewing company in Westmoreland county, at Jeannette, Mt. Pleasant and Latrobe, have received orders to double their force of men and work day and night on account of the Allegheny county license court prohibiting the operation of the company's plants in Allegheny county for 15 days. All of the breweries in this county have big reserve supplies of beer and it is believed that all orders can be filled."

The brewer sees an opportunity for the foreign maker of beer to come into town and get trade and probably hold a good deal of it, after the suspension expires. The problem of supplying beer to the numerous Western Pennsylvania towns is also causing the brewer to figure. The rural districts, especially where there is local option, consumes a great deal of the amber fluid.

Inquiry last night among the brewers developed the fact that about 4,000 barrels of beer are daily consumed in Pittsburgh and Allegheny. Each day 1,920,000 glasses of the liquid are tossed off by the thirsty men and women, at a cost of $360,000. During the 15 days' suspension, if this $1,152,000 were converted into nickels and placed side by side, one could walk on money from Union station to a point 85 miles west of Ft. Wayne, Ind.

Figures on Local Consumption.

If not desirous of stamping it out for 405 miles, a diversion could be found in placing the coins one on top of the other. It would require a ladder 28 miles long to reach the top. When it is recalled that 597,120,000 nickels are annually passed from consumer to dealer in the two cities, Pittsburgh and Allegheny find places on the map as beer drinking centers. One million two hundred and forty-four thousand barrels of beer are consumed on the 311 working days of the year. The result is that the brewer and the seller divide $29,870,000 between them. And some one has said that there is not a bright thought in a whole barrel of beer.

The Highland Brewing company yesterday received its state license from Harrisburg. E. T. Heineman, president of the company, had made an application in the Allegheny county court, but learned that the license judges might object to grant a license because the brewery, while under construction, was not completed. He withdrew the application and sent a check for $1,000 to the state treasurer, receiving his license by return mail. It is the first state license obtained in Allegheny county, and means a loss of several hundred dollars to the county treasury. It is only the tenth issued so far this year in the state. The only difference between the state and county license is that under the former the licensee is not allowed to sell to anyone but a licensed dealer.

The Highland Brewing company expects to have its plant in operation by the end of May. The action of the Highland company, it is expected, will be followed by a majority of the Allegheny county brewing companies next year, as, under the law, the treasurer has no option but to grant the license upon the receipt of the $1,000 fee.

Fine New Church at Munhall.

Ground was broken yesterday for the $17,000 church, the Hungarian Reformed congregation intends to erect in Dixon street, Munhall. The church will be a handsome one with an exterior of buff brick and stone. It is to be completed by September. The pastor is the Rev. Alexander Harsanyi. About 150 families belong to the congregation.

MOYER'S FRIEND DEFIES TROOPS

Wild Scene in Denver on Arrival of Miners' Federation Head.

HAYWOOD WAS NEARLY KILLED

[Special Telegram to The Gazette.]

Denver, April 21.—The arrival of Charles H. Moyer, president of the Western Federation of Miners, here today in custody of Adjutant General Sherman M. Bell and Capt. Bulkley Welles was accompanied by a small riot in which the secretary of the federation, W. D. Haywood, was severely injured and afterward placed under arrest. There was great excitement in the city and for a time serious trouble was feared.

Defying the detachment of cavalry which brought Moyer to appear before the court, W. D. Haywood, secretary-treasurer of the Federation, attempted to hold a conversation with the prisoner while he was being taken from the train at the Union depot this morning. Ordered to stand back by Capt. Bulkley Welles, commanding the guard, he struck the officer in the face.

In a second he was surrounded by a cordon of angry troopers, who struck at him with the butt of their carbines and beat him with six-shooters. That he was not killed by the excited soldiers is due to the action of Bert Givens, the orderly of Capt. Welles, who struck up the muzzle of a gun aimed at Haywood, and rescued him from his position between two cars where the guardsmen had him cornered.

Beaten a Second Time.

Placed under arrest, he was put in the middle of a hollow square of militiamen, and marched to the Oxford hotel, near the depot. Here he again showed fight and was beaten into submission. His injuries consist of a deep cut on the left side of the head and one on the right side of his head, which almost severed the lower lobe of his right ear.

When a demand was made by Police Captain Frank Lee for the release of Haywood on the ground that the military rule did not extend to Denver, Gen. Bell replied that he intended to hold Haywood as a military prisoner and would shoot anyone who attempted to take him, but, nevertheless, under orders from Gov. Peabody, Haywood was surrendered to Sheriff Armstrong and placed in the county jail this afternoon.

A telegram was sent to D. C. Copley, a member of the executive board of the Western Federation of Miners, who is in Kansas, requesting him to come to Denver immediately and take charge at federation headquarters.

Moyer in Court.

Moyer was taken before the state supreme court this afternoon under the writ of habeas corpus, which had been issued in his case.

At the Oxford hotel he entered a hack with Gen. Sherman M. Bell and Capt. Bulkley Welles, the respondents to the writ, and the vehicle was driven rapidly to the state house, followed by 32 armed soldiers, who guarded the entrance to the court room while the habeas corpus proceedings were in progress. Attorney General N. C. Miller and Attorney John M. Waldron appeared in court for the governor and military authorities, and Attorney E. F. Richardson in behalf of Mr. Moyer. Chief Justice Gabbert and Justice Steele were on the bench, Justice Campbell being absent.

The return to the writ presented by Attorney General Miller set forth that the petitioner, Moyer, is lawfully restrained of his liberty under and pursuant to the express command of the governor and commander-in-chief of the military forces of the state of Colorado as a military necessity in the course of the suppression of an existing state of insurrection and rebellion in the county of San Miguel. Gen. Bell's answer declared that Moyer was an active participant in fomenting and keeping alive the insurrection and rebellion in San Miguel county, and that it was necessary to restrain him for some time to come.

The court heard arguments on a motion of the petitioner to be admitted to bail pending a decision on the question of the court's jurisdiction and took the matter under advisement. Moyer was then removed to the hotel in custody of the military.

Man Adrift on Lake Erie.

ASHTABULA, O., April 21.—(Special.)—A message has been received by the tug office at this port from Duncan, Ont., asking that a lookout be kept for a man who is believed to be adrift on Lake Erie in a small boat. On Wednesday afternoon he was drifting about 10 miles west of Port Stanley, Canada.

Nine Mills Fixed at Esplen.

On a valuation of $1,031,570 Esplen council last night fixed the millage at 9 mills, 7½ of which is for general purposes and the balance for the sinking fund. New locks will be placed on the cell room doors of the lockup.

FATHER SAW HIS CHILD KILLED

Charles Frey Arrived Too Late To Rescue Girl from Under Street Car.

JAMES E. CAMPBELL EXPIRED

Charles Frey, a bartender in August Stuckenberg's saloon in Mt. Washington, was standing behind the bar looking out of the window early yesterday evening, when he saw his 6-year-old daughter Freda, who was playing on the sidewalk, dart into the street right in front of one of the Pittsburgh Railways Company's cars. The horrified father jumped over the counter, and as he got out to the street the car stopped. When the little girl was taken up she was dead. The car had run over her. The body was removed to the family home at 97 Cicero alley.

Two months ago Frey's 8-year-old son John was run over by a wagon and his leg was broken.

James E. Campbell, aged 29, died yesterday at the Mercy hospital of injuries received last Wednesday by falling 38 feet at the Edgar Thomson steel works at Braddock. His skull was fractured and his spine was injured.

James E. Campbell was the son of George E. Campbell, proprietor of the Sixth Avenue hotel of Braddock for many years. When the Spanish war broke out Campbell was corporal of Company D, Tenth regiment, Pennsylvania volunteers. He served with his regiment in the Philippines and was mustered out on the return of the regiment. With Jacques Le Belle he founded the first Veterans' association in this vicinity, known as the Col. Alexander L. Hawkins Association of Spanish-American War Veterans. Campbell organized the Braddock Association of the Army and Navy Veterans of 1898. He was an active worker of the Foreign Veterans' association and at the time of his death was commander of the Braddock post of the Veterans of the Foreign Service.

Two years ago he was married to Miss Grace McWilliams, who survives him. Since his marriage Mr. Campbell had made his home in Braddock.

The funeral will be held Sunday at 2 p. m., from the First Presbyterian church of Braddock. Company D of the Tenth regiment will attend the services in a body, as will Post William McKinley of Spanish War Veterans. Other local posts will be represented. The interment will be in Monongahela cemetery with military honors.

An unknown man died at the McKeesport hospital yesterday, and efforts to discover his identity have proved futile. The man was taken to the hospital about two weeks ago suffering from typhoid fever, having come from some town above that city, probably from Monessen. The dead man was unconscious most of the time he remained at the hospital.

While on the way to a hospital Alderine Palmeri, aged 18, a miner, died from injuries received by being struck by a train on the Pittsburgh & Lake Erie railroad at Blythesdale yesterday.

John Kennedy, aged 33, of 107 West Robinson avenue, Allegheny, died in No. 1 patrol wagon yesterday of cerebral hemorrhage while being taken to the Allegheny general hospital.

DEFENDS THE STANDARD.

John D. Rockefeller Publishes a Book on His Business Methods.

NEW YORK, April 21.—(Special.)—John D. Rockefeller has at last been stung into a defense of his business methods. Smarting under the attacks made upon the Standard Oil Company by Ida M. Tarbell in McClure's Magazine, Mr. Rockefeller has caused the publication of a book called "The Rise and Progress of the Standard Oil Company." It was written by Gilbert Holland Montague and published by Harper & Brothers.

It is said that every minister in the United States—there are 150,000 of them—will receive a free copy for review.

SPAIN MAY HAVE TO DECIDE ALL BOUNDARY QUESTIONS

PANAMA, April 21.—(Copyright Cable.)—Your correspondent in Colon sends word that, according to late advices from Bogota, Columbia, Senor Chacano, the Peruvian minister, has obtained the official signatures of the Ecuadorian minister and the Colombian minister to the agreement for obligatory arbitration. It is probable that Spain will be asked to decide all pending questions relative to boundaries, which are not settled within one year.

MAKAROFF'S WIDOWED SISTER THINKS HIM STILL ALIVE

ST. PETERSBURG, April 21.—Vice Admiral Makaroff's sister, a widow, who has long been a resident of Kishineff, was dependent upon an allowance made by the admiral for her support. She is heartbroken, refusing to believe that her brother is dead, and dreams that he comes to her saying that he is alive and imprisoned in his stateroom on the Petropavlovsk.

Cleveland Physician Killed By Car.

CLEVELAND, O., April 21.—Dr. Ignatz Friedman, a prominent physician of this city, was killed tonight as the result of a collision between his carriage in which he was riding and a street car. Dr. Friedmann was thrown under the car wheels and his body badly crushed. He was about 50 years old.

FLINN WILL EXAMINE FILTRATION SYSTEM

Former State Senator Will Visit Torresdale Plant Near Philadelphia Today.

[By Private Wire to The Gazette.]

PHILADELPHIA, April 21.—Ex-State Senator William Flinn today called upon Director of Public Works Peter E. Costello relative to the inspection of the Philadelphia filtration system. For an hour the western political leader, who is interested in the proposed new water supply of Pittsburgh, was in conference with the director and James P. McNichol, and arrangements were made for him to visit the Torresdale plant this afternoon to make a thorough inspection.

At the time the former senator was in Director Costello's office he was called upon by David H. Lane, the veteran Twentieth ward leader, and Select Councilman Charles Seger, and those not acquainted with the purpose of the visit were inclined to believe that important political matters were under consideration. Mr. Lane remained with him only a little while and quickly dispelled the rumor that politics was being discussed.

"Senator Flinn was interested only in the filtration system. My visit to the director was for the purpose of securing a place for one of my constituents. When I learned that the filtration matter was under discussion I left. No, there was no politics discussed."

Register of Wills Joseph H. Klemmer and Assistant City Solicitor Robert Brannan will leave on Monday next for the Pacific slope to meet Insurance Commissioner Durham and remain with him until he returns home, late in May or early in June.

CHESTER D. POTTER.

ROOSEVELT INDORSED.

Senator Fairbanks Boomed for Vice Presidency—Congressional Nominations.

GRAND RAPIDS, MICH., April 21.—Congressman William Alden Smith was unanimously renominated by the Republican convention. Delegates to the national convention were instructed for President Roosevelt. Senator Fairbanks of Indiana was indorsed for vice president.

SPARTA, WIS., April 21.—Congressman John J. Esch was unanimously renominated by the Republicans.

NEW ALBANY, IND., April 21.—Republicans today nominated John F. Dillon for congress.

OSHKOSH, WIS., April 21.—Congressman James M. Davidson of Oshkosh was renominated by the Republicans.

HOLTON, KAN., April 21.—Maj. A. M. Harvey of Topeka, was nominated for congress by the Democrats.

ATTEMPTS SUICIDE ON GRAVE OF SISTER WHO KILLED HERSELF

FAIRMONT, W. VA., April 21.—(Special.)—Maude Jones, aged 28 years, visited the grave of her sister at Maple Grove cemetery this evening, and kneeling beside the grave drank a pint and a half of poisoned whisky. Then pulling a revolver from her dress she fired two shots. Being nervous from the effects of the whisky, the shots missed. Policemen brought the woman to the city jail. She is in a precarious condition and is not expected to live. The sister, at whose grave she was found, blew her brains out last winter. The father and mother both committed suicide.

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All Diseases of the kidneys, bladder, and urinary organs.

Also heart disease, rheumatism, backache, gravel, dropsy, female troubles.

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A Grand Old Soldier. Troubled With Severe Pains in His Back for 30 Years.

I have been troubled with severe pains in my back and kidneys for over 30 years caused by exposure during the Civil War.

I tried many Patent Medicines and physicians but could secure no permanent relief.

A sample bottle of Dr. Fenner's Kidney and Backache Cure was given me and it did me so much good that I finally took several of your dollar sized bottles which effected a prompt and permanent cure.

It is pleasant to take. You may refer any one to me as I shall take great pleasure in recommending it.

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Owing to modern methods of living, not one woman in a thousand approaches this perfectly natural change without experiencing a train of very annoying and sometimes painful symptoms.

Those dreadful hot flashes, sending the blood surging to the heart until it seems ready to burst, and the faint feeling that follows, sometimes with chills, as if the heart were going to stop forever, are only a few of the symptoms of dangerous nervous trouble. The nerves are crying out for assistance. The cry should be heeded in time. **Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound** was prepared to meet the needs of woman's system at this trying period of her life, and all women who use it pass through this trying period with comfort and safety

Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound

"I feel it my duty to write you about the wonderful cure your medicine has brought about.

"I suffered for years with change of life. I would have fainting spells, either before or after my monthly periods. They would come on me suddenly. Sometimes I would be on the street.

"I had pains all over me. My head ached all the time, could take no walks or go up stairs without becoming completely exhausted. I suffered untold misery. I tried doctor's medicines for a long time, but derived no benefit.

"I cannot say too much in praise of **Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound**, and would advise all sufferers of female trouble to use it, for it will certainly cure them."—Mrs. Lizzie C. Reynolds, Buchanan, Va.

"My trouble was change of life and cramping. No human tongue can describe what I suffered with the cramp. I dreaded from one time to another so much that I almost wanted to die.

"Our family physician did everything he could for me, but I got no relief. He said if I lived to get through with the other trouble, it would wear away after a time, but I had it six years and could not walk or exercise in any way without bringing on an attack of the cramp, and I would suffer untold misery until I would be perfectly exhausted and helpless.

"I read in one of your little books about your medicine being good for female trouble and change of life, and thought there was no harm in trying it, so I did, and it helped me and I was able to take walks and work some.

"I am very thankful for the relief your medicine has been to me."—Mrs. V. M. Blake, Deep Water, W. Va.

When one stops to think about the good these women derived from this great medicine, it seems almost beyond belief; yet it is all true as stated in their letters published above at their own request.

For these ills no other medicine in the world has received such widespread and unqualified endorsement. Refuse all substitutes.

As a positive fact the private files at Lydia E. Pinkham's laboratory contain thousands of letters from women who have been safely carried through that danger period "Change of Life." The cures of Mrs. Reynolds and Mrs. Blake are not unusual ones for this medicine to accomplish.

No such helpful advice to women who are sick can be had elsewhere as will be received free by addressing Mrs. Pinkham, at Lynn, Mass.,—if you are sick write her—you are foolish if you don't. She speaks from the greatest experience.

$5000 FORFEIT if we cannot forthwith produce the original letters and signatures of above testimonials, which will prove their absolute genuineness. Lydia E. Pinkham Medicine Co., Lynn, Mass.

OLNEY WINS IN MASSACHUSETTS

Hearst Defeated in Democratic Convention by Overwhelming Vote for Favorite.

WILD SCENES ON THE FLOOR

[By Associated Press to The Gazette.]

BOSTON, April 21.—By an overwhelming vote, the Massachusetts Democratic state convention at Tremont temple today instructed four delegates-at-large and 20 delegates from the various congressional districts of the state to support Richard Olney of this city, for the presidential nomination at St. Louis next July.

Four delegates-at-large pledged to the support of Olney were elected, and the supporters of William R. Hearst of New York, were defeated by a vote of 300 to 200. A resolution offered by Representative John A. Coulthurst of Boston, indorsing the candidacy of Mr. Hearst, was voted down by a very large majority.

The following were elected delegates-at-large: William A. Gaston of Boston; Patrick A. Collins of Boston; William L. Douglass of Brockton and John R. Thayer of Worcester.

George Fred Williams, the leader of that faction of the Massachusetts Democracy supporting the candidacy of William R. Hearst, made a vigorous protest against the adoption of the unit rule, but the convention, by a vote of nearly three to one, refused to strike from the platform the clause calling for uniform action with reference to presidential nominees, and after adopting the resolutions presented by the majority of its committee on motion of Josiah Quincy, voted that the unit rule govern not only the support of Mr. Olney, but all matters pertaining to the convention.

A One-Plank Platform.

The platform adopted consisted of a single plank—an indorsement of Olney's candidacy and instructions to the delegates to vote as a unit for him. The proceedings of the convention were marked at times by scenes of the greatest turbulence.

After adjournment Mr. Williams issued a statement in which he said the action of the convention in adopting the unit rule was a rank absurdity from beginning to end, and that the district delegates would pay no attention to today's votes.

"If they are instructed," he said, "by their own conventions they will act accordingly. If they are uninstructed they will vote according to their own will and the national convention will not for a moment give consideration to today's convention."

Congressman William S. McNary, chairman of the Democratic state committee, called the convention to order at 11:30 a. m. John J. Flaherty of Gloucester was made permanent chairman, after which came the election of delegates-at-large. The Hearst ticket contained the names of George Fred Williams, George E. McNeil, Charles A. Dean and Joseph A. Smith. The balloting occupied more than an hour, each delegate being required to pass to the platform, have his credentials punched and deposit his ballot.

Olney Is Indorsed.

When the committee on ballots retired James E. Carroll of Springfield, chairman of the committee on resolutions, presented the majority report of his committee. These resolutions favored the candidacy of Mr. Olney for president and instructed the entire state delegation for him.

It was during the reading of these resolutions that the convention reached the climax of its turbulence. The first mention of the name of Mr. Olney evoked prolonged applause, but when the suggestion of the adoption of the unit rule was made there was an uproar.

Shouts of "No, no!" from the Hearst delegates rang through the hall, and cries of "It is an outrage!" could be distinguished in the general noise and confusion. Suddenly the Hearst delegates stood upon their seats and with great enthusiasm gave cheer after cheer for Hearst. The spirit seemed to affect the Olney men, for they, too, stood and cheered heartily for their choice.

When this demonstration, which lasted several minutes, had subsided, John A. Coulthurst read the minority report indorsing Mr. Hearst as the Democratic nominee. The reading of the report was the signal for another uproar. The question then came upon substitution of the minority report of the committee for the majority report.

Split in Party Threatened.

A heated debate upon the resolutions followed, several delegates seizing the opportunity to make impassioned speeches in behalf of Mr. Olney or Mr. Hearst. Delegate Cunningham of Somerville declared that if the Hearst delegates were not given a fair show they would form a new party. During this debate cheers, hisses, handclapping and interjected exclamations of approval or disapproval continued.

A vote on the question of substitution resulted in an overwhelming victory for the Olney forces, the motion to substitute being lost. The majority report was accepted by a large majority. At this point the committee on ballots reported the result of the voting for the delegates-at-large.

The following alternate delegates were then chosen by acclamation: Jeremiah J. McNama of Boston, James E. Sullivan of Fall River, Thomas E. Dwyer of Wakefield and Ezekiel M. Ezekiel of Springfield.

Josiah Quincy offered an amendment to the majority report instructing the entire state delegation to act and vote as a unit upon all matters and questions pertaining to the convention, which amendment was adopted with enthusiasm, and the convention adjourned.

The ballot for delegates was announced as follows:

Olney ticket: Collins, 614; Thayer, 614; Gaston, 613; Douglas, 613.

Hearst ticket: Williams, 270; McNeil, 265; Smith, 266; Dean, 266.

HEARST IS CAPTURING DELEGATES IN INDIANA

INDIANAPOLIS, April 21.—(Special.)—The criticism of Mr. Bryan on the result of the New York Democratic convention, saying a confidence game was played on the public, is being circulated over the state by the Hearst men, and the Parker men are having much trouble combating it and in many places they are discouraged. They say that many of the men who were selected for delegates are going over to Hearst forces under the impression that Bryan is opposed to Parker and that he would not support the New York judge if he were nominated by the St. Louis convention.

Erie Water Bill Passed.

WASHINGTON, April 21.—(Special.)—The senate today passed the bill granting permission to the commissioners of waterworks of Erie, Pa., the right to use and occupy 175 acres of government land known as Presque Isle peninsula, for the purpose of laying additional pipes to increase the water supply of the city.

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Muslinwear Specials.

Fine Nainsook chemise trimmed with two dainty Val. insertions and lace edge—skirt trimmed with lace edged ruffle, $1.00.

Small lot very fine chemise—not more than one or two of a style—variety of styles—were $3.25 to $8.50 for $2.00 to $5.00.

Table of extra nice white petticoats—cambric top trimmed with tucked flounce edged with deep embroidery ruffle, $1.50.

Sale of cheviot petticoats, $1.00—deep flounce with hemstitched tucks and ruffles finished with tailor bands—black and white stripes and all colors.

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Bears the Signature of Chas. H. Fletcher.
The Kind You Have Always Bought

Nothing More to Be Desired.

PIRATES WON THE OPENING GAME

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decision Smith threw ball and glove at Johnstone's feet and began a war dance. Manager Clarke sprinted in from left and joined in. Johnstone sent Smith to keep company with Peltz. Then the crowd jeered.

The only fault that the spectators could find was that the new coat of paint on the grandstand had not been given time to thoroughly dry, and as a result more than one light overcoat was decorated with red and yellow stripes. Police Capt. James Wilson had made excellent arrangements to handle the crowd, and with the exception of the breaking of the right field gate there was no confusion.

There was only one fight among the spectators during the entire afternoon, and in this case both combatants were hustled from the grandstand before they had a chance to get properly started. One young man tried to carry a basket of bottled beer into the grounds, but he didn't get far.

It was a representative crowd that gathered to give its favorites an initial ovation. Robert P. Kennedy of Uniontown, who has witnessed every opening game since Pittsburgh has had a baseball team, was there with his two sons who expect to attend opening games even after Fred Clarke is back on his Kansas farm.

In the box with President Dreyfuss were the guests of honor, President Harry Pulliam of the National league, and Garry Herrmann and M. C. Fleishman of the Cincinnati club.

The three cities of the county were represented by Mayors William B. Hays, James G. Wyman and G. J. F. Falkenstein. With Mayor Falkenstein were C. J. Falkenstein, president of McKeesport councils, Chief of Police Louis Rotzsch and Treasurer Samuel Milligan.

Among the other box holders were Judge Elliott Rodgers, W. G. McCandless and party, Humphries Miller and party, Colonel Robert Finney, T. A. Alderdice, Frank S. Ward, John H. Nicholson, C. L. Hastings, W. H. Purcell, Walter P. Frazier, Fred H. Tristram and party, Director Thomas B. Scandrett of the department of public safety, Allegheny, and Director Henry Hunneshagen of the department of charities, James Riddell, Charles P. Lang, Fred Titus, William Bookliner, Andrew Fulton, Harry M. Davidson, George H. Calvert, Edward C. Chalfant, E. E. Jones, A. R. Peacock and party, George L. Walters, Thomas F. Kirk, Jr., and party, Magistrate Samuel Abernathey, Robert G. Robertson, M. J. Connelly, Harry Stevens, Ed. Swartwood, Charles Crowe and Van Paterson, Niles, O.; Harry Weaver, Youngstown, Thayer Torreyson and Charles McCloskey of Homestead.

TO SUCCEED QUAY.

Mayor Ashbridge Says John P. Elkin Will Be Next U. S. Senator.

PHILADELPHIA, April 21.—(Special.)—Ex-Attorney General John P. Elkin was the guest of honor at tonight's Clover club banquet. The list of invitations included members of the supreme, superior and common pleas bench, and there were quite a number of judges present from up the state.

Ex-Mayor Samuel Ashbridge, in his address, predicted Elkin's election to the United States senate as Quay's successor. He said Gov. Pennypacker would then resign and be appointed to the vacancy created by Elkin's return to political activities. Ashbridge was not taken seriously.

TO BRING DAMAGE SUIT AGAINST CHINESE EMPIRE

WASHINGTON, April 21.—Burton H. Houcks today was granted by the probate court ancillary letters of administration upon the estate of Mary I. Partridge, deceased, and he will under this authority file a claim with the state department against the Chinese empire for damages for the death of Miss Partridge who was a missionary in China and who was killed by the uprising of the boxers in 1900.

OHIO LEGISLATORS PLAY PRANKS AT ORPHANS' HOME

SPRINGFIELD, O., April 21.—(Special.)—Pranks were played by members of the Ohio legislature, led by W. Z. Rail, during their visit yesterday evening to the Soldiers and Sailors Orphans' home in Xenia. They ransacked the room of Andrew Jackson, the aged sergeant-at-arms of the legislature, and entered the rooms of the pretty lady teachers, who were sleeping, and rudely aroused them with ice water. One of the teachers was so frightened she fainted.

CLAIRTON TRANSFER IS SLATED FOR MAY 1

U. S. Steel Corporation Will Soon Take Possession of Its New Property.

[By Associated Press to The Gazette.]

NEW YORK, April 21.—It was announced today that the United States Steel Corporation is to take possession of the Clairton Steel Company on May 1 under an agreement that the Crucible Steel Company of America shall assume and pay $2,000,000 owed by that company to outsiders and cancel the $2,000,000 indebtedness of the Clairton company to the Crucible company.

The steel corporation is to pay for the coal and ore properties and the limestone quarries and the St. Clair Terminal railroad exactly what they cost the Clairton company, estimated at several millions. The Pittsburgh Steel Company is to continue taking one-half the billet production of the Clairton.

Child Attacked by Rat.

YORK, PA., April 21.—(Special.)—Attacked by a rat while sleeping last night, a one-year-old child of Mrs. John Barnhart almost died from excessive loss of blood. The child's screams attracted the mother.

Will Have Audience With Pope.

UNIONTOWN, PA., April 21.—(Special.)—Attorney R. W. Dawson and E. W. Doolittle, who sail for Europe next Tuesday, have secured credentials to give them a private audience with Pope Pius X.

COLE IS CHOSEN ON 634TH BALLOT

Nominated for Congress in Eighth Ohio District—Instructions for Roosevelt.

CONVENTION IN FOURTEENTH

[Special Telegram to The Gazette.]

FINDLAY, O., April 21.—On the 634th ballot Hon. Ralph D. Cole of Hancock county was nominated as the Republican candidate for congress in the Eighth Ohio district tonight amid such a scene as was never before witnessed in this city. As Cole entered the hall, after notification, he was picked up and carried to the stage by the surging crowd. He then made a speech. Hon. W. R. Warnock of Champaign, Cole's opponent, and Hon. Arthur A. Jones of Delaware, were elected delegates and Edward D. Mannington of Champaign and H. W. Jewell, of Delaware, alternates. Joseph Kimmon of Harding county was nominated presidential elector. The fight has been for Cole to get a hold on the Champaign county contingent. Delaware was with Cole all the time as second choice but Champaign fought hard. The combination was finaly effected by giving Champaign two Foraker men in the national convention. Logan and Union refused to enter into any deal at the time and went home empty handed. The delegates were instructed for Roosevelt.

MANSFIELD, O., April 21.—The Fourteenth district Republican congressional convention was in session here this afternoon and tonight. Candidates were placed in nomination as follows: Prof. D. K. Andrews, Hayesville; George T. Thomas, Norwalk; Frank V. Owens, Mt. Vernon; S. R. Webber of Elysia, and Huntington Brown, Mansfield. For 19 ballots each county, except Richland, cast its ballot solidly for its candidate, Richland giving Brown as high as 46 and as low as 42. The 47th and last ballot stood: Webber, 69; Owen, 47; Thomas, 46; Brown, 42; Andrews, 24, and Kingman, 23. The convention adjourned until 9 o'clock tomorrow morning.

YOUNGSTOWN, O., April 21.—The Hearst organization here denies that Hearst lost in the primaries held in Columbiana county. It was claimed that C. Smith, an anti-Hearst man, had won over T. J. Arnold, the Hearst candidate for delegate to the national convention. The supporters of Hearst here claim that Arnold had 38 out of 42 delegates elected from that county. That number with the Hearst delegation from Mahoning county could control the convention, which will be held on May 6, and select the Hearst delegates, Thomas McNamara, Jr., of this city, and Mr. Arnold of Leetonia.

OCEAN INTELLIGENCE.

Arrived April 21.

HALIFAX—Mongolian, from Glasgow.
GIBRALTAR — Koenig Albert, from New York.
HAVRE—La Lorraine, from New York.
LONDON—Oxonian, from Boston; Philadelphia, from Boston; Marquette, from New York.
LIVERPOOL — (20th) Teutonic, from New York; (21st) Noordland, from Philadelphia.

Sailed April 21.

NEW YORK—Columbia, for Hamburg; Bremen, for Bremen, La Bretagne, for Havre; Umbria, for Naples.
NAPLES—Perugia, from New York.
ST. MICHAELS—Republic, for Boston.
QUEENSTOWN—Friesland, from Liverpool for Philadelphia; Oceanic, from Liverpool for New York.
LONDON—Lancastrian, for Boston.
BRISBANE—Miowara, from Sydney for Vancouver.
LIVERPOOL—Cretic, for Boston; Dominion, for Montreal; Ionian, for Montreal.

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A ten days' trial shows wonderful results.

Postum
Food Coffee

YOU have heard a good deal about the United Cigar Stores! Well, there's always a lot of talk about good cigars. Did you ever know the man who didn't like to tell about "the good cigar he had just discovered." That has been one of the factors in our big success. Smokers are quick to discover *real merit* and when it is coupled with such unusually low prices, this great business is not to be wondered at.

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NEWS OF THE NEARBY TOWNS AND COUNTRY

MINISTERS ARE RECEIVED AND PASTORATES ACCEPTED

New Members Admitted to the Presbytery of Steubenville. Others Are Released.

[Special Telegram to The Gazette.]

STEUBENVILLE, O., April 21.—The presbytery of Steubenville has adjourned after being in session at New Philadelphia. The Rev. Alexander Sharp of Mingo Junction was elected moderator. The Rev. Dr. Joseph D. Moffatt of Washington and Jefferson college delivered the opening sermon on "Our Church." Commissioners elected to the general assembly were: Ministers, Nelson K. Crowe and Joseph G. Grabel; alternates, S. L. Boston and Alexander Sharp; elders, Prof. W. H. Ray and John Wallace, M. D.; alternates, C. W. Huston and Kennedy Crumrine.

The Rev. A. Williams, D. D., was released from the churches of Cross Creek and Two Ridges and dismissed to the presbytery of Allegheny. The Rev. P. W. Snyder was released from the church at Long Run and dismissed to the presbytery of Pittsburgh. The Rev. W. F. Howard was received from the Cumberland Presbyterian church and accepted a call to Scio, O. The Rev. Edward M. McMillan was received from the presbytery of Monroe and accepted a call to the Firch church, East Liverpool. The Rev. Thomas W. Hine was received from the presbytery of Pittsburgh and accepted calls to Island Creek and Pleasant Hill. The Rev. John C. Black was received from the presbytery of Portsmouth and was given work inside the bonds of the Steubenville presbytery.

STRIKERS ARE QUIET.

Presence of 15 Deputies at Somerset Has Excellent Effect.

SOMERSET, PA., April 21.—(Special.)—The presence of 15 deputy sheriffs in Garrett, the scene of the disorder and the fatal conflagration early in the week, when six people were burned to death, has had a quieting effect. The deputies are armed with Winchesters and they keep busy tramping a guard line placed about the coal companies' properties on the outskirts of the town. The strikers are not permitted across the line. Several officers are also on duty down in the town.

The feeling against the deputies rules high and they are watched sullenly by the strikers. Deputies have been accosted on the streets by the strikers and several personal conflicts were narrowly avoided, but as a general rule each class leaves the other alone. The saloons are kept closed and the men have no place to congregate. They assemble at the depot to meet each train, fearing the coming of more strike breakers.

NEGRO ATTEMPTS MURDER.

Prevented from Choking Operator to Death by Arrival of Trackwalker.

GREENSBURG, PA., April 21.—(Special.)—The opportune arrival of the trackwalker at N. D. tower on the West Penn railroad, just east of Blairsville, saved Henry Huff, the operator, from being robbed and perhaps murdered early this morning. While Huff was busy at work a negro slipped into the tower and seizing him from behind choked him almost into insensibility.

The negro had hold of Huff's throat when the trackwalker opened the door of the tower. The negro immediately jumped from the window and made off in the darkness. Huff and the trackwalker made an attempt to overtake the negro but no trace of him could be found.

COMPANY'S OFFICES CLOSED.

Hundreds of New Castle People Customers of Home-Buying Concern.

NEW CASTLE, PA., April 21.—(Special.)—No insight can be obtained here into the affairs of the Home company, successor to the Keystone Home Development company of Pittsburgh. The offices here in the Dean block have been closed since last Monday and the office force is disbanded. Fully 600 persons have their savings involved in the concern and they have little hope of ever recovering anything.

In all the hundreds who signed contracts, no one can be found for whom the company purchased property and local real estate dealers claim that so far as their knowledge extends, the company never spent a dollar for New Castle realty. No estimate can be made on the amount of money involved but it will run well on toward $25,000 if not more. The reputed officers, whose names appear on the closed door, are R. W. Beecher, president and manager, and C. A. Benedict, district manager. These men cannot be located. It is said that informations were made here some time ago against the Home company, in an effort to recover money paid in on contracts.

College in Flourishing Condition.

BLAIRSVILLE, PA., April 21.—(Special.)—The statement yesterday that the matter of the Blairsville college was before the Blairsville presbytery was misleading in so far as the word "trouble" was used. The facts are that the college has progressed so well and has become so successful that it seeks to be taken under the care of the presbytery. A committee will visit the institution and make a report on the request. The college is finishing one of the best years in its history and hopes to go ahead with renewed energy next fall.

Snake Bite Affects Preacher's Mind.

NEW CASTLE, PA., April 21.—(Special.)—The Rev. Mr. Bruce, a widely known Presbyterian minister and for the past 30 years pastor of the Shealeyville church, Mercer county, has been taken to the Warren asylum for treatment for mental derangement. During his boyhood he was bitten by a copperhead snake and at the battle of Gettysburg he was severely wounded on the head by a fragment of a bursting shell. The two injuries are supposed to be responsible for his present affliction.

Salary Ministers Should Have.

NEW CASTLE, PA., April 21.—(Special.)—According to an address delivered here last night before the Lutheran ministers by Dr. Spaeth of Mount Pleasant, Pa., no minister should receive less than $800 annually. He said the man of God should at all times be able to make a respectable appearance.

Railway Employes Strike.

PORTSMOUTH, O., April 21.—More than 500 employes of the Norfolk & Western railroad shops and terminals at this place struck today and caused a complete suspension of operations in the shops. The grievance is a change of working hours, which keeps the men on duty later in the day than before.

New Club House Opened.

OIL CITY, PA., April 21.—(Special.)—The new club house of the Venango club was formally opened tonight. The building and furnishings cost over $40,000. The membership, which is limited to 200, is composed of professional and representative business men.

STATE AND NEIGHBORHOOD.

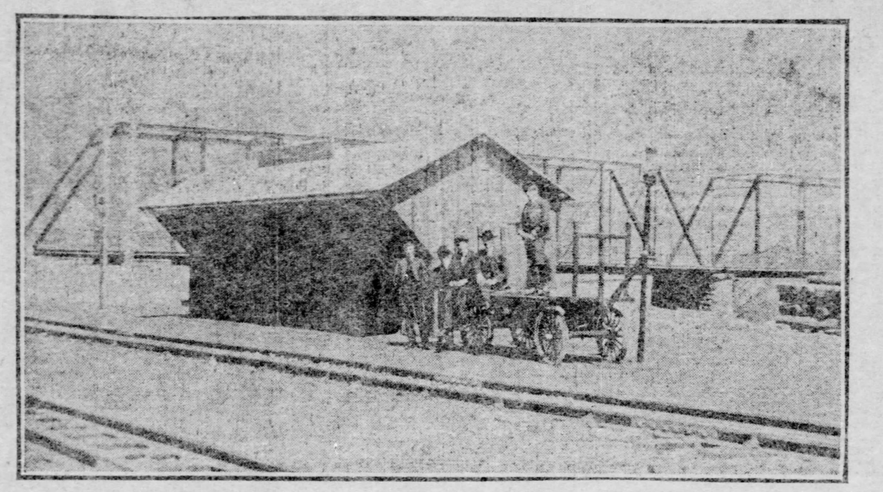
NEW CASTLE—A $60,000 steel bridge is to be erected over the Beaver river at Moravia to replace one carried away in the January flood.

NEW CASTLE—This city was yesterday connected up by the Manufacturers Light and Heat Company with its West Virginia gas fields.

NEW CASTLE—Mrs. John Barnes, for the past six years district grand templar of Lawrence, Beaver and Mercer counties, has been elected a member of the state grand lodge of the Ladies of the Golden Eagle.

GREENVILLE—The thirty-fifth annual convention of the Mercer County Sabbath School association will open at West Middlesex next Thursday. Among the speakers will be Miss Athe E. Hamlin, field secretary of the Allegheny County Bible association; Dr. Lloyd B. Wright, Pittsburgh; Prof. S. H. Miller, New Castle, the Rev. G. B. McKee, Sharon and the Rev. H. C. Foster, Jamestown.

TEMPORARY STATION FOR LEECHBURG PEOPLE



LEECHBURG, PA., April 21.—(Special.)—The above is a picture of the Leechburg temporary passenger depot, which is across the Kiskiminitas river from Leechburg, in Westmoreland county. Since the East Leechburg bridge was taken out by the ice all trains are run via what is known as the Leechburg cut-off and do not pass through Leechburg proper. It is now necessary for passengers to cross over the river from Leechburg (Armstrong county) to Westmoreland county to board trains. The bridge, however, will at once be rebuilt, and it is expected that passenger trains will be running through Leechburg again in about three months.

MURDERER OF CARFA EXPIATES HIS CRIME

John Aiello Climbs the Scaffold to Meet Death Without a Tremor.

[By Associated Press to The Gazette.]

DUBOIS, PA., April 21.—John Patiste Aiello paid the death penalty in the Brookville jail today at a few minutes past 10 o'clock. Sheriff Curry had personal charge of the execution, which took place on the same scaffold on which Michael Mallone was executed February 23. The hanging took place in the presence of limited number of newspaper men, a few deputies, three physicians and a few friends of the sheriff. Fathers Deville and Wyrwas were with the condemned man until a late hour last night and again early this morning, the former accompanying him to the scaffold.

A guard from the Sons of Veterans surrounded the jail. During the execution there was no excitement, however, and not more than the usual number of strangers in the town. Aiello was pronounced dead nine minutes after the drop. Aiello murdered Frank Carfa of Punxsutawney last summer. He was 32 years old and unmarried.

RAILROAD VETERANS HOLD LARGE MEETING

Pennsy Employes of Several Divisions in Session at Wilkesbarre.

[Special Telegram to The Gazette.]

WILKESBARRE, April 21.—The Veteran association of the Eastern, Sunbury, Shamokin and Susquehanna divisions of the Pennsylvania railroad, numbering 300 representatives of the organization, arrived here today on a special train. They are all men who have been in the employ of the company for 21 years and over, and represent all branches and departments of the system. A business meeting was held this afternoon, David Attick of Sunbury presiding, and Chaplain H. C. Yordy of Shamokin offered prayer. In the yearly report it was shown that 76 railroaders have been admitted into the organization during the past year, and the association lost 12 members, leaving a total of 426 members, all in good standing.

H. P. Lincoln of Williamsport, superintendent of the Eastern and Susquehanna divisions, was unanimously elected president for the ensuing year. Isaac H. Strauss, agent of the Pittsburgh transfer, who has been with the company 25 years prior to going to Pittsburgh, two years ago, was elected a member of the organization.

Late in the afternoon the men in a body were taken over the new Laurel line (third rail) to Scranton, where they were the guests of B. F. Wyly, traffic manager of the company. They returned here tonight and a banquet was tendered them at Concordia hall. They returned on a special train to Sunbury about 11 o'clock.

STRIKE AT WAYNESBURG.

Forge Sheet Workers Refuse to Accept the 18 Per Cent Reduction in Wages.

WAYNESBURG, PA., April 21.—(Special.)—The heaters and catchers at the Waynesburg forge sheet and tin mills and the W. H. Griffiths tin mill went out on a strike last night. The men refuse to accept the 18 per cent reduction in wages agreed upon by the Amalgamated association. Eleven mills are in operation here.

About the time the strike occurred W. D. Morris, engaged at a heating turn, was caught outside the mill and beaten into insensibility. His injuries are serious and warrants have been issued by Justice Samuel Montgomery for the arrest of the supposed guilty parties.

Cuban Company Gets Charter.

MONONGAHELA, PA., April 21.—(Special.)—The Cuban Development and Manufacturing Company, of which local men are promoters, has been granted a charter under the laws of the District of Columbia. The construction and operation of a tin can factory and mammoth preserving plant in Havana is contemplated. The company is capitalized at $250,000. Contracts have been made for 2,000 acres of ground in Havana province, which will be used for the cultivation of pineapples, bananas, cocoanuts and tomatoes.

Medal For Assistant Surgeon Miller.

NEW CASTLE, PA., April 21.—(Special.)—Dr. William G. Miller of this city, who recently accepted a commission as assistant surgeon in the United States regular army, and is now on duty with the Twelfth United States infantry in the Philippines, has just been granted a medal and certificate of honor by the National Sons of the Revolution society, in recognition of his services in the Spanish-American war, during which he was a member of the staff of Col. Glenn of Pittsburgh, commanding the Eighteenth Pennsylvania volunteers.

Pottery Workmen Go on Strike.

ZANESVILLE, O., April 21.—Six hundred pottery workmen employed in the plants of the Acme Pottery and the Crooksville China Company, at Crooksville, have gone out on a strike. President Duffy, of the national organization, is expected from East Liverpool. The trouble has grown out of the employment of a man at less than the union scale.

Eleven Bitten by Mad Dog.

HARRISBURG, April 21.—Eleven persons were bitten, some seriously, by a mad dog, which ran through the main streets of Steelton this afternoon. All the wounds have been cauterized and physicians do not fear serious consequences. The dog was shot.

Convicted of First Degree Murder.

GRAFTON, W. VA., April 21.—(Special.)—The jury in the second trial of Grant Hertzog at this place, charged with the murder of John Russell, at Simpson, brought in a verdict of guilty of murder in the first degree, with the recommendation of life imprisonment.

THIEVES FAIL TO BLOW OPEN AN OFFICE SAFE

Man Passing Bound at Freedom. Shots Fired at Man and Wife.

[Special Telegram to The Gazette.]

FREEDOM, PA., April 21.—An unsuccessful attempt was made by three robbers early this morning to blow open the big fire proof vault in the office building of the Freedom Oil Company. Alonzo Jack, a paper hanger, who happened to be passing, was held up by one of the party on watch escorted into the building at the point of a revolver, blindfolded and compelled to remain an unwilling guest, while two heavy charges of nitroglycerin were exploded in an effort to blow the heavy door from the vault. The thieves retreated some distance when the first charge was exploded, but Jack was left near the vault. He was thrown from his seat to the floor and slightly stunned. He could tell by the conversation of the men when the next charge was ready and lay down on the flood. One of the thieves suggested that they kill him. The others opposed it.

The sound of the first explosion awakened Mr. and Mrs. William Lewis who reside across the street. They raised a window and looked out. As they did so the man on guard in front of the office, fired several shots in their direction. They were ordered to keep their heads in, under penalty of having their brains blown out. After the second charge was exploded without the door being opened, the three men left. They left the big sledge and pick behind. Jack then gave the alarm but the men could not be found. The loss to the company will be considerable as the vault is badly wrecked and the office equipment damaged.

Boy Burglar Sentenced.

STEUBENVILLE, O., April 21.—(Special.)—Ellis Stoffel, 18 years old, who says his father is a well-to-do contractor of Lima, O., pleaded guilty to burglary and was sentenced to five years in the penitentiary today.

BRADY'S BEND OIL FIELD MAY BECOME PRODUCTIVE

Coal Company, Drilling Wells in Old Territory, Strikes a Good Producer.

[Special Telegram to The Gazette.]

KITTANNING PA. April 21.—Bradys Bend township, Armstrong county, promises to again become a prolific oil field. Years ago Armstrong Run was known far and wide as a great oil-producing territory, the Jennings, Flemings and many others acquiring large fortunes there. Then the wells fell off, the Bradys Bend Iron Company failed and the hundreds of acres of lands belonging to that corporation, which had hitherto been productive, were permitted to become idle. That was before the Speechley sand was ever heard of.

A couple years ago a corporation known as the Great Lakes Coal Company went into that section and bought up several thousands of acres of coal lands. The company built a railroad from a point on the Pittsburgh, Bessemer & Lake Erie railroad and opened mines at Kay Knob. In their works they needed a cheaper fuel than coal, and as several abandoned oil wells were on their purchase, they cleaned out some, drilled others deeper, and a few days ago, in putting the drill into one at an unusual depth, reached the Speechley sand and were rewarded with a 75-barrel well. This strike has awakened interest upon the part of operators, and land is being leased. Many old oil wells will be sunk to the Speechley, while a vast amount of new developments will follow at once.

FIRE DESTROYS DEVON.

Half the Population Is Rendered Homeless—Loss is $25,000.

BLUEFIELD, W. VA., April 21.—The little hamlet of Devon, located on the Norfolk & Western railway, 15 miles east of Williamson, was almost wiped out by fire last night. The buildings destroyed included the only hostelry, "Hotel Devon." The fire originated from a defective stove in the home of D. R. Richardson, in which were located two smallpox patients, sons of Mr. Richardson. Both narrowly escaped burning, owing to the unwillingness of the onlookers to expose themselves to the disease.

But two buildings remain standing and they are insufficient to accommodate those who lost their homes. As a consequence one-half of the population is sheltered for the night in the railway station. The loss is $25,000.

Amateur Baseball Notes

The Shannon A. C. is after games. Address Francis Grogan, 1808 Wharton street, South Side, city.

The Morgans would like to hear from all 7 and 8-year-old teams. Address Leo Reed, 314 Lawn street, city.

The Postoffice Clerks would like to hear from all amateur teams. Address S. A. Bodkin, Pittsburgh postoffice.

The Union Stars of White Ash would like to hear from all 8 to 9-year-old teams. Address Dale McMillan, White Ash, Pa.

The Morins would like to hear from all good 17 and 18-year-old teams. Address Eddie Ebeck, 55 Allequippa street, city.

The Keystones would like to hear from all 8 and 9-year-old teams. Address James Riddle, 5728 Walnut street, East End.

The Magee A. C. would like to have a game with any 6 or 7-year-old team. Address Louis Carr, 1737 Penn avenue, Pittsburgh.

The Dilworth Stars would like to hear from all 6 and 7-year old teams. Address Richard Gilmore, 531 Windsor street, Allegheny.

The Superior A. C. would like to hear from teams having grounds. Address Henry Bitenfeuvel, 902 Beaver avenue, Allegheny. Tel., 170-J Brady.

The Victor A. C., an 8 and 9-year-old team, would like to arrange a game for Saturday. Address Bert Magness, 35 Bayne avenue, Bellevue.

The Wolff A. C. is anxious to arrange games with all 15 to 17-year-old teams for Saturdays and Sundays in May and June. Address A. M. Knabe, Carrick.

The Shamrocks would like to arrange games with 8 and 9-year-old teams for Sundays. Address Frank Pickering, 25 Compromise street, Allegheny.

The Stern Juniors challenge all 8 and 9-year-old teams. The players are: Souder, Schlegg, Smith, Gillespie, Bauman, Juring, Weaver, Bishoff and Selling.

The Oak A. C. will line up against the Crescent team of the East End Saturday. The Oak A. C. wants games. Address R. E. Gellings, 721 New Grant street, city.

The Harvards are without a game for Saturday and would like to hear from a 14 or 15-year-old team away from home. Call up 78 J, Cedar, and ask for James M. Grier.

The Melrose A. C. will open the season Saturday with the Acme team of Monoca at Monoca. The players are requested to report at 12:45 at Pittsburgh & Lake Erie depot.

The Library A. C. has Decoration day open and would like to hear from some good 15 to 17-year-old out-of-town team. Address Carl Burns, 1117 North Euclid avenue, East End.

The Acorn Juniors will play the Schaefer A. C. of Mt. Washington on the latter's grounds Saturday, and the players will report at Erin street not later than 1:30 with their uniforms.

There will be a meeting of the Allentown A. C. at Thomas' tonight and all players must be present as they will receive their uniforms. Allentown opens the season at Carrick Saturday.

The Casino A. C., formerly the Central A. C., would like to arrange games with all 15 to 17-year-old teams. They will open the season Saturday. Address Dennis McNeill, box 104, East Pittsburgh.

St. Casimer A. A. will practice this evening. The team will play Sheradenville this evening. Manager Brown has open dates. Address St. Casimir A. A., 2006 Penn avenue, Pittsburgh. Tele. 1726 Main and F. & A.

The Triumvir A. C. opens the season tomorrow with the Eagle A. C. of Braddock. The Triumvir would like to hear from all 14 to 16-year-old teams. Address W. Dipple, 1021 Penn avenue, Wilkinsburg.

The Millvale Juniors would like to hear from all 15 to 16-year-old teams having grounds. Would like to arrange two games for July 4. All teams desiring games address Thomas Cooper, 319 Colton street, Millvale.

The Haydon team, after making such a good showing at Swissvale Wednesday evening, would like to arrange a twilight game with any good team having grounds. Address Milton Lane, 890 Sandusky street, Allegheny.

The Mobile A. C. would like to hear from some strong amateur team for its opening game April 23. Call up 44 Wood and ask for Eitzman, between 12 and 1 o'clock today, or send special to 200 Kansas street, city.

The Curry A. C. has the following lineup: Dawson, Harrell, Smith, Edwards, Williams, Shally, Carey, Nicklin, Eichenberg and Kearns. Would like to hear from all 11 to 12-year-old teams. Address J. E. Nicklin, 398 Thirty-third street, city.

The players of the Osbornes are requested to report for practice this evening at 6 o'clock sharp. Any 16 or 17-year-old teams wanting a game for Saturday will address Harry Wulzenhoefer, 232 Woodville avenue, West End, or call up 145 Court.

The C. A. C. of Ellwood City will play the Frisco A. C. on Saturday. For games address Ed Seidel, Ellwood City, Pa. The Ellwood City lineup is: Seidel, catcher; Patterson, pitcher; McGinley, short; Wyant, first; Todd, second; Poister, third; Krause, left; Christy, center; Riley, right.

The St. Simon C. would like to hear from all 8 and 9-year-old teams. The lineup is as follows: Hendershaw, catcher; Finley, pitcher; D. Harris, shortstop; Walman, first; T. Harris, second; Snyder, third; Brink, left; Craft, right; Montgomery, center. Address Dave Harris, 1412 Rebecca street, Allegheny.

The Amateur Stars will play Company G a practice game Saturday and all players are requested to report not later than 2 p. m. at the clubhouse, Bingham Arcade. The manager of the Amateurs would like to fill a few open dates with 16-year-old teams in this vicinity. Address H. J. Schroeder, 222 Union avenue, city.

The Eagle Stars would like to hear from some good 7 and 8-year-old team for May 7. Address Ned Grant, 3443 Madison avenue, city.

The Economy-Ambridge team has secured some of the best players in the vicinity, and would like to hear from all first-class teams. Address Howard C. Geoghegan, care American Bridge Company, Ambridge.

The Connor A. C. will play the Dinwiddie Reds Saturday. The players are: Dugan, catcher; Meuser, pitcher; Warren, short; Utters, first; Price, second; Hancock, third; Seventon, left; Bush, middle; Camphire, right. Substitutes, Broude and Cohen. The Connors would like to hear from all 8 or 9-year-old teams. Address J. C. Connor, 700 Wylie avenue, Pittsburgh.

Acting Captain Dickey of the Emerson A. A. has announced his lineup for the season: Stitcher, catcher; pitchers, Hamilton and Locklin; shortstop, Si Beymer; first, Locklin and Feinbaum; second, Dickey; third, Ament; left field, Smith and Farrell; middle field, Price and Roll; right field, Ramey and Piper. All 13 to 14-year-old teams address Allen Dickey, Denniston and Howe streets, East End, city.

IS NOT FRIGHTENED.

William K. Vanderbilt, Jr., Will Continue to Do Auto Racing.

NEW YORK, April 21.—(Special.)—William K. Vanderbilt, Jr., will not retire from automobile racing. He is not the possessor of a weak heart, nor of a heart that is even in the slightest degree affected. Reports have been spread broadcast that Mr. Vanderbilt would heed the advice of his physician, and these reports he denies in toto, asserting his belief that some one is trying to annoy him in this way.

Mr. Vanderbilt may not do any fast driving this summer, unless it be up the Eagle Rock hill late in the season or at Mt. Washington, but he has assured W. J. Morgan that he will be on hand with a 125-horse power Mercedes car entered for the Ormonde meet of next winter, and also with his automobile boats for the tournaments in Florida.

Many Dogs Entered.

NEW CASTLE, PA., April 21.—(Special.)—Nearly 50 local dogs will be entered in the coming Sharon bench show which will be held from April 28 to 30. A. D. Newell has entered "Knights of the Heather" and "Lady Sarah." S. B. Morgan will enter 10 finely bred canines.

College Teams Sever Relations.

BELOIT, WIS., April 21.—The faculty of Beloit college has caused the college athletic association to sever all relations with the University of Wisconsin. This is because of alleged discourtesy and unfair financial treatment of the Beloit men by the university students.

WE CLOSE AT 6:30 P. M. SATURDAYS

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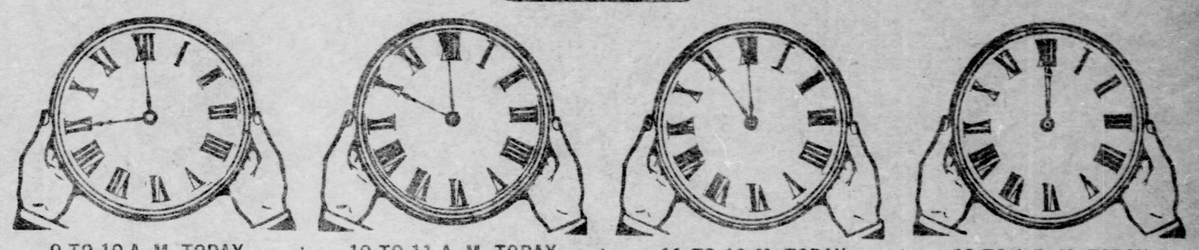


9 TO 10 A. M. TODAY

Boys' $1.35 shoes, 95c
Boys' and youths' calf shoes, low heels, suitable for school wear—reduced from $1.35 to 95c.

35c window shades, 17c
Oil opaque window shades, 36 and 38 in. wide and 6 ft. long, mounted on first-class spring rollers, slightly soiled from display—worth 25c and 35c, go at, each, 17c.

Boys' 38c pants, 19c
Boys' heavy dark gray cheviot knee pants, sizes 4 to 14, regular 38c pants, only 19c.

Women's $1 gloves, 25c
Women's two-clasp kid gloves, odd sizes and broken lots, taken from our regular 75c and $1 lines (mostly in small sizes) during this hour, only 25c.

39c dress goods, 19c
"Double width pure wool dress goods, new Spring styles, all colors and black, an opportunity to buy the 39c quality for, yd., 19c.

25c can soup, 15c
"Columbia" brand mock turtle soup, 25c cans, 15c. Anderson's concentrated tomato soup, 10c cans, 5c. Strengthitude, the ready-to-eat breakfast food, or Norka, 15c packages, 5c.

5c handkerchiefs, 2c
Women's and children's plain hemstitched fine lawn handkerchiefs, worth 5c, each, 2c. King's machine thread, 2 spools of 200 yds. each, for 2c. Spool of battenberg thread, 2c. Odd pieces and short lengths of point de Paris, Torchon and Venise laces, yd., 2c.

95c madras waists, 39c
Women's white madras waists, made with 6 shoulder tucks, pearl buttons down front, neat stock collar, regular 95c waists for only 39c.

Floor oilcloth, 22c
Best grade floor oilcloth, that was bought on a 50c-on-the-dollar basis, all widths, 2-yard patterns, usually sold at 35c, this hour, sq. yd., 22c.

Wash wrappers, 39c
Women's nice quality percale wash wrappers, in light or dark colors, ruffle and braid trimmed, all sizes, worth 75c, at, each, 39c.

Porcelain plates, 3c
American porcelain tea and breakfast plates, regularly sell at 75c dozen, this hour at, each, 3c.

10c suitings, 6¼c
McGregor suitings and Gibraltar percales, all regular 10c qualities, during this hour for only, yd., 6¼c.

10 TO 11 A. M. TODAY

Boys' $2.50 suits, 1.50
Boys' dark colored cheviot double-breasted and Norfolk suits, sizes 3 to 16, regular $2.50 suits for 1.50.

Boys' 25c caps, 15c
Boys' and children's new Spring caps, in plain and assorted all-wool cassimere and crash patterns, also blues and black, Rob Roy, golf and eton school shapes, serge lined, 25c values, 15c.

Nursery racks, 15c
Nursery racks, for infants' wear and towels, very useful adjuncts for the nursery, for 15c each. Famous crimson rambler rose bushes, each, 10c.

Women's oxfords, 1.50
Women's kid and patent leather oxfords, welt soles, reduced from $2.50 to only 1.50.

10c mackerel, each 5c
Fine white Irish mackerel, regular 10c fish, 5c. Large round salt herring, 30c quality, dozen 26c. Balaena salmon, dozen, 90c, can, 8c.

Men's 50c neckwear, 9c
A lot of odds and ends of our regular 50c neckwear, including tecks and four-in-hands, being slightly soiled, we make the price this hour only 9c.

Black taffeta, 47½c
Guaranteed black taffeta silk, rich and lustrous, guarantee woven in every yard, 20 in. wide, 75c quality, yd., 47½c.

Brussels carpet, 49c
Brussels carpet, new 1904 Spring patterns, any quantity for large rooms, halls and stairs, 75c quality for, yd., 49c.

Walking skirts, 1.19
Women's new Spring walking skirts, neat striped and checked materials, strictly man-tailored, 7 and 9-gore flare effect, strapped seams and self button trimmed, inverted pleat and habit back, heavy rows of stitching at bottom for only 1.19.

Wash petticoats, 44c
Women's fast black sateen or striped percale wash petticoats neatly made, for this hour only 44c.

50c bed sheets, 39c
Bleached bed sheets, linen finished, hemmed all ready for use, size 81x90 in., regular 50c kinds, 39c.

15c glassware, 5c
Brilliant crystal glass sugar bowls, creamers, spoon holders, mustard pots, etc., worth up to 15c, go at, each, 5c.

8c handkerchiefs, 5c
The popular chrysanthemum pillow top handkerchiefs worth 8c for 5c. Silkateen, the knitting substitute for silk, wears as well and washes; worth 5c, at 2 spools for 5c.

11 TO 12 M. TODAY

Curtain materials, 5c
Sample lengths and remnants of curtain swisses, scrims, silkalines, cretonnes, sateens, taffetas, denims and burlaps, materials usually sold for from 12½c to 25c, for, yd., 5c and 10c.

50c suspenders, 33c
Men's genuine "President" suspenders, light and dark colors, sell everywhere for 50c, during this hour only 33c.

French challies, 35c
Strictly pure wool French challie, printed in figures, stripes and floral effects, on light and dark grounds, new patterns, 59c quality, yd., 35c.

Boys' $4 suits, 2.35
Boys' stylish "Buster Brown," sailor, Norfolk, two-piece outing and double-breasted suits, all colors, sizes 2½ to 16, regular $4 suits, 2.35.

75c tea kettles, 49c
Nickel plated tea kettles, made of heavy copper and nickel plated, regular 75c value, for only 49c.

75c watch chains, 29c
Women's watch guard chains, 48 in. long, heavily gold plated, inlaid with fancy stones, worth 75c, this hour for only 29c.

Bicycle tires, 1.85
The celebrated Hartford or Morgan & Wright tires, this hour only 1.85, inner tubes for only 35c, worth 75c.

5c sheeting, 3½c
Bleached and brown sheeting, also fancy printed lawns, all 5c quality to go at 3½c yd.

Women's waists, 69c
Women's fine lawn waists, odds and ends, trimmed with lace, embroidery and hemstitching, formerly sold at $1.49 and $1.98, to go at only 69c.

Babies' cloaks, 79c
Babies' long or short bedford cord or cashmere coats or capes, lined throughout, neatly trimmed, regular $1.25 value, for only 79c.

$10 rain coats, 6.50
Women's cravenette raincoats, military style, triple cape, side pockets and belts, black, tan, oxford and brown, neatly tailored garments, worth $10 to $15, for 6.50.

Straw mattings, 14c
Heavy China fancy straw matting, very durable, also pretty Japanese matting, stripes and checks, worth 22c, this hour, yd., 14c.

75c bead girdles, 39c
Handsome bead girdles, with long bead tassel ends, worth 75c at 39c. Point de esprit lace, for graduation and party gowns, 54 in. wide, yd. 39c.

12 TO 1 P. M. TODAY

Manhattan shirts, 98c
Any man's Manhattan stiff bosom shirt, in the men's furnishing dept., no matter if marked $1, $1.50 or $2.50, choice during this hour for only 98c.

Men's $2 shoes, 1.35
Men's calf shoes, heavy double sole, London toe, reduced from $2 to only 1.35.

Taffeta silk, 55c
Heavy rustling colored taffeta silk, in all shades and black, an excellent quality, goes during this hour for only, yd., 55c.

Tapestry portiers, 1.98
50 in. wide and 3 yds. long tapestry portiers, ottoman and cordovan weaves, pretty two-toned colors, heavily fringed, regular $3 and $4 portiers, pair, 1.98.

Mixed paint, can 5c
Ready mixed paint, in assorted colors, per can, 5c. Ironing wax, asbestos stove lids, enameline liquid stove polish, or chair seats in any size, regular 10c values, for 5c.

Women's skirts, 2.39
Women's stylish walking skirts, made of all-wool cheviots and broadcloths, hip strapped seams and self button trimmed, inverted pleat and habit back, worth $5 and $6 for only 2.39.

Boys' $4 suits, 1.90
Odds and ends of boys' 3-piece long pants suits, worth up to $4, for only 1.90. A better line, including boys' blue serge suits, worth $5 and $6.50, for only 2.90.

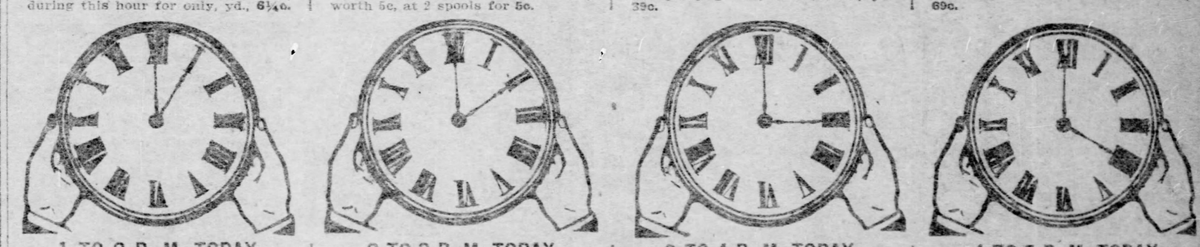
Men's $1.50 hats, 79c
Men's new Spring derbies and soft hats, made of best pure fur stock—silk band and bindings, goat sweat leather, in all dimensions, regular $1.50 hats for only 79c.

Ribbed vests, 5c
Women's bleached swiss ribbed vests, taped neck and arms, in all sizes, for only 5c.

25c cuspidors, 9c
Underglazed cuspidors, glass vases, china swans, ornaments, etc., worth 25c, to go at only 9c.

Table damask, 22½c
Full bleached table damask, special patterns, full width, regular 39c quality, this hour, 22½c.

$1 hair switches, 69c
Very fine hair switches, any shade, worth $1.00, this hour 69c. 36 in. square, round thread Irish linen table covers, and 72 in. scarfs, spoke hem and drawn work borders, the two largest sizes, this hour, each, 69c.



1 TO 2 P. M. TODAY

Women's waists, 1.00
Women's white silk waists, lace trimmed and pleated, all regular $3 waists, but being slightly soiled and mussed they go for only 1.00.

Shaving outfits, 89c
A complete shaving outfit, including a good razor, mug, brush, soap, strop, sponge, witch hazel, cosmetic, etc., worth $1.50, all complete for 89c.

Boys' $1 suits, 58c
Boys' stylish washable Russian blouse and sailor suits, made of dark chambray, sizes 2½ and up, regular $1 suits, for only 58c.

Brussels rugs, 19.95
10½x14 ft. brussels rugs, for large rooms, would cost you $30 if bought elsewhere, this hour they go here at only 19.95.

20c coffee, lb. 15c
Regular 20c quality of special blend coffee, 5 pounds, 70c, pound, 15c. 50c quality teas, all kinds, at 3 pounds for 1.00; pound, 35c.

Children's shoes, 72c
Children's and little men's kid and calf shoes for school wear, reduced from $1 to only 72c.

Suspender waists, 15c
Boys' and girls' light colored suspender waists, with best elastic ends, regular 25c kinds, pair, 15c. (Men's furnishing dept.)

Girls' dresses, 79c
Girls' woolen dresses, made of mixed and striped materials, plain cloth yokes, trimmed with fancy braids—new sleeves, lined throughout, sizes 4 to 14, regular $1.75 dresses, 79c.

$4 Skirt lengths, 1.69
Full skirt lengths of plain and fancy dress material, including voile, granite, etamine, cheviot, satin soliel, mohair and Scotch mixtures, worth $4.00, at, per pattern, 1.69. (Only 1 pattern to a customer.)

Gingham aprons, 5c
Women's large or small size gingham or white lawn aprons, with wide ties, this hour for only 5c.

7c glassware, 2c
Crystal glass fruit saucers, olive dishes and table tumblers, all worth 7c, to go at each 2c.

25c white goods, 12½c
White madras, fancy striped oxford and plain basket weave oxford, 25c quality, this hour yd. 12½c.

Women's collars, 25c
Women's Corliss Coon hemstitched linen collars, usually sell at 50c, for 25c. Beautiful, 10 to 18 in. wide swiss embroidery flouncings, nice for corset covers and skirt flouncings, also all-over embroidery for children's hats, waists and yokes—worth 48c at yd. 25c.

2 TO 3 P. M. TODAY

Swiss curtains, 69c
Fine ruffled swiss curtains, 40 in. wide, 3 yds. long, beautiful dining and bedroom striped effects, regular $1 and $1.25 curtains, pair, 69c.

27 in. Jap silk, 45c
27 in. wide Japanese silk, all shades, for washable summer shirtwaists and children's dresses, the quality which usually sells for 65c, at only, yd., 45c.

Women's suits, 5.00
Women's stylish tailor-made suits, made of fine all-wool cheviots, broadcloths and fancy mixtures, jaunty eton or plain coat style, trimmed with braid or silk strapping, dress and walking skirt, 7 and 9-gore wide flare, inverted pleat and habit back, worth $10 and $12, for only 5.00.

Boys' 50c caps, 23c
Boys' new Spring caps in all-wool crash patterns, to match most any suit of clothes, Norfolk, Rob Roy, golf or eton club style, all colors of cloth, also blue, serge silk lined, also tam o'shanters, either plain or fancy embroidered, 50c and 75c caps for 23c.

Boys' $5 suits, 3.33
Boys' stylish blue serge Norfolk, double-breasted Russian blouse and outing suits, sizes 2½ to 16, regular $5 suits at 3.33.

75c black goods, 47c
46 in. wide pure worsted, English clay and diagonal serge, guaranteed shrunk and sponged, in black only, the 75c quality at, yd., 47c.

Curtain stretchers, 75c
Curtain stretchers, made of well-seasoned hardwood, may be folded up, would be good value at $1.50, go at only 75c.

Covert jackets, 4.25
Women's tan covert jackets, with box front and fitted backs, also etons of black broadcloth, trimmed with braid and lined throughout, regular $6.50 jackets, 4.25.

19c half hose, 10c
Men's fancy silk embroidered and fancy striped cotton and lisle half hose, usually sells at 19c for only 10c.

Baseball outfits, 20c
A boy's baseball outfit, consisting of glove, good strong ball, and Spalding bat, worth 50c, this hour, for only 20c.

Women's drawers, 15c
Women's cambric and muslin drawers, umbrella style, also neatly made corset covers, all trimmed, during this hour only 15c.

3 TO 4 P. M. TODAY

$1 lace collars, 59c
Large point Venise lace cape collars, style effect, medallion patterns, regular $1 collars for 59c. 18 in. square renaissance centerpieces, wide border of hand-worked Battenburg, spider web stitch, 59c.

Babies' wash caps, 15c
Babies' nice silk embroidered wash caps, also French tucked plain muli wash caps, with wide ties, for only 15c. (Infants' dept.)

Silk umbrellas, 75c
Women's 26 in. wide fine twilled mercerized silk umbrellas, steel rod, nice paragon frame, case to match, plain wood and fancy handles, regular price $1 and $1.25, this hour, 75c.

Boys' $1.25 shoes, 85c
Little men's box calf lace shoes, with low heels, reduced from $1.25 to only 85c.

Drapery stuffs, 19c pce
Mill ends and sample 24x24 in. squares of fine silk brocatelles, silk and satin damasks, velours, silk and mercerized tapestries, etc., worth up to $2.50 yd., at 19c and 39c per sample.

Taffeta silk, yd. 39c
27 in. wide strong, heavy black taffeta silk, very fine fabric for skirts and dress linings, the 65c quality, this hour for 39c.

Boys' $6.50 suits, 4.00
Boys' regular $6.50 and $7.50 "Sampeck" Russian blouse, sailor, double-breasted and three-piece suits, worth $6.50 and $7.50, this hour only 4.00.

Ironing boards, 55c
Ironing board on stand, folding kind, goes during this hour at the very low price of 55c.

Children's hats, 50c
A large lot of children's hats, trimmed and untrimmed, not one worth less than 75c and some worth $1.50 and $2, choice for 50c.

California hams, lb. 8c
Best California hams, the kind you usually pay 11c for, during this hour, pound, 8c. Brazil nuts, commonly called cream nuts, at 3 pounds 25c.

Girls' $2.50 coats, 1.39
Made of all wool materials, in blue, brown and mixtures, some are braid trimmed, box

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AMATEUR SPORTS A GAZETTE FEATURE

No other Paper tells so well what the Boys are doing in the Sporting Line—The Gazette is in the Lead.

PIRATES CREATE A RECORD BY WINNING FIRST HOME GAME

FIRST HOME GAME WAS A VICTORY

Pirates Broke Their Record and Pleased the Great Crowd of Loyal Rooters.

CLOSE AND EXCITING CONTEST

NATIONAL LEAGUE RESULTS.

Pittsburgh	5	Cincinnati	4
Philadelphia	12	New York	1
Boston	3	Brooklyn	2
Chicago	4	St. Louis	1

NATIONAL LEAGUE STANDING.

	W.	L.	Pct.		W.	L.	Pct.
New York	4	1	.800	Boston	3	3	.500
Cincinnati	4	3	.571	Pittsburgh	3	4	.429
St. Louis	3	3	.500	Philadelphia	2	3	.400
Chicago	3	3	.500	Brooklyn	2	4	.333

LEAGUE GAMES TODAY.

Cincinnati at Exposition Park.
Philadelphia at New York.
Brooklyn at Boston.
St. Louis at Chicago.

Even if the Pirates should fall in their laudable ambition of annexing a fourth pennant for Pittsburgh and thus create a new National league record, they have at least succeeded in shattering one mark, and that is winning the first home game of the season. They succeeded in turning the trick at the expense of the Cincinnati team yesterday afternoon, when the game ended 5 to 4 in their favor, and 11,800 of as loyal rooters as ever graced a ball park were sent home happy. This was the first time the Pirates have won the opening game at home under the present ownership.

The game was in strict keeping with the gala occasion, being a red-hot contest from start to finish, and it was anybody's victory until the last man was called out in the Reds' half of the ninth inning. It was not only a close and exciting contest filled with plays that brought the spectators to their feet with prolonged cheers, but it was also a scrappy affair, and the umpire had trouble keeping the players in line. This was particularly true of the visitors, who were in a fighting humor and questioned every close decision made.

Victims of the Umpire.

The victims of the umpire's wrath were Catchers Peitz of the Reds and Smith of the Pirates. Peitz raised a fuss over the umpire calling balls when he thought they should have been strikes. This happened in the sixth inning and the expelled player was not only forced out of the game, but was ordered off the playing grounds. It was in the eighth inning that the Pirate backstop got the run, and it must be said that his expulsion was unjust. He objected to the umpire calling Dolan safe at the home plate when it was apparent to everybody in the grand stand that the catcher had put the ball on the baserunner and had him out, but the umpire thought differently.

The beauty of the contest from the eyes of the baseball critic, was marred just a bit by the bad work of the umpire who made two very glaring mistakes each team being a victim. His first mistake was in calling Dolan safe at the home plate. This decision gave the visitors a run they were not entitled to. In the ninth he called Dolan out at first, when that player was safe, having reached the base while Bransfield was fielding the ball to Scanlon, who covered the bag. Both plays were close ones, however, and umpires, being human, are bound to err sometimes.

Some Sensational Plays.

The sensational features of the game were contributed by Wagner, Sebring and Ritchey for the Pirates and Donlin for the Reds. Donlin's contribution was a sensational catch of a long hit by Tommy Leach, the ball being secured back near the left field bleachers. Sebring made an even more sensational catch in the sixth, when he ran with a ball from Donlin's bat almost to the score board, and, jumping into the air, pulled down the ball. Wagner set the crowd wild in the sixth, when he went up into the air and pulled down a liner from Seymour's bat which looked like a safe hit and which would have scored at least one run. Ritchey went out into deep center after Seymour's fly in the seventh and made what looked like an impossible catch.

The interest of the spectators was largely centered in the work of Scanlon. That young man, while a trifle wild—he gave six bases on balls and hit one batter—put up the kind of ball that a champion team needs and the greater part of the end of the game was that he will make a strong man for the team. He has all sorts of curves and a slow ball which he uses to good purpose, and he is cool and collected at all times. His only fault is that he is a trifle slow in action, but that can be easily remedied. "Noodles" Hahn started in as the Reds' pitcher, but lasted only three batters and was then relieved by Elliott, a tall fellow who pitched a masterly game, allowing the Pirates not a hit and only one run during his six innings of duty. The support accorded the Reds' pitchers was perfect, but the same could not be said of the Pirates, whose fielding was ragged, particularly by Wagner, who had two costly errors.

Chances for Runs Were Lost.

The Pirates had chances for runs in the first and second innings, when Leach and Bransfield smashed out three-base hits, but the batters who followed them could not produce the hit necessary to bring the run home. It was in the fourth that the champions got after the curves of "Noodles," and not only drove in four runs, but they also succeeded in driving "Noodles" to the bench. Beaumont opened up the third with a pretty single to right, and Manager Clarke followed with a line drive into the overflow crowd in right field that counted for three bases. Beaumont bringing home the first run. Leach drove a long fly to Seymour, on which Clarke scored. Wagner singled and scored on Bransfield's three-bagger to middle, and "Kitty" got home on Sebring's single to right.

The champions' fifth and last run was scored in the sixth, and was the result of clever and daring baserunning by Sebring. The right fielder had reached second base as a result of Kelley's muff of Elliott's throw. Ritchey, who was next at bat, made a perfect bunt, and while the pitcher was fielding Claude out at first Sebring, with the speed of the wind, turned third and was on his way home before Kelley realized what was going on. The play to catch him at the plate was close but he beat the ball and the run counted, while the big crowd cheered itself hoarse.

Where the Reds Scored.

The Reds did not get a run until the fifth inning, when, with two out, Donlin doubled to right, went to third on Smith's wild throw and scored on Wagner's fumble of Kelley's grounder. Kelley got home on a single by Steinfeldt and a life to Corcoran. In the eighth two more runs were scored. Donlin, who was first up, went out on a fly to Ritchey, then Dolan beat out an infield single and the hit and run was successfully worked. Kelley driving the ball to right and Dolan going to third on the hit. Steinfeldt drove a grounder to Leach and Dolan was caught between third and home and was really out at the plate, but the umpire called him safe. In the meantime Kelley reached third, from which point he scored on Corcoran's force-out at second. That ended the Reds' run-getting. The score:

PITTSBURGH.	AB.	R.	H.	PO.	A.	E.
Beaumont, cf	4	1	1	1	0	0
Clarke, lf	2	1	1	1	0	0
Leach, 3b	4	0	1	1	3	0
Wagner, ss	4	1	1	4	3	2
Bransfield, 1b	4	1	2	7	1	0
Sebring, rf	4	1	1	1	0	0
Ritchey, 2b	3	0	0	5	1	0
Smith, c	3	0	0	5	3	1
Phelps, c	0	0	0	0	0	0
Scanlon, p	2	0	0	2	0	0
Totals	31	5	7	27	11	3

CINCINNATI.	AB.	R.	H.	PO.	A.	E.
Huggins, 2b	3	0	1	1	2	0
Seymour, cf	4	0	0	2	0	0
Donlin, lf	4	1	1	3	0	0
Dolan, rf	4	2	1	0	0	0
Kelley, 1b	4	1	2	11	0	1
Steinfeldt, 3b	4	0	1	3	4	0
Corcoran, ss	2	0	0	2	3	0
Peitz, c	2	0	0	3	1	0
O'Neil, c	2	0	0	0	0	0
Hahn, p	1	0	0	1	1	0
Elliott, p	3	0	0	0	2	0
Totals	33	4	6	24	13	1

Pittsburgh	0	0	4	0	0	1	0	0	*	—5
Cincinnati	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	2	—4

Two-base hit—Donlin.
Three-base hits—Clarke, Leach, Bransfield 2.
Kelley.
Sacrifice hit—Ritchey.
Stolen bases—Clarke, Corcoran.
First base on balls—Off Scanlon 6 (Huggins 2, Seymour, Donlin, Dolan, Corcoran), off Elliott 2 (Clarke, Scanlon).
Hit by pitched ball—Corcoran.
Balk—Hahn.
Struck out—By Scanlon 5 (Seymour, O'Neil, Hahn, Elliott), by Elliott 2 (Leach, Smith).
Innings played by each pitcher—Hahn 3, Elliott 6.
Runs off each pitcher—Off Hahn 7, off Elliott 0.
Time—2:26. Umpire—Johnstone.

NOTES OF THE GAMES.

Mike Donlin made a noble attempt to collect Leach's triple in the first inning. He chased back to the left field bleachers, and just got his hand on the ball.

Sam Leever did not accompany the Pirates on the home trip, but was left at his home near Cincinnati and will pitch the game against the Reds in Cincinnati on Sunday.

Kitty Bransfield saved Wagner a wild throw in the second inning on Steinfeldt's grounder, which he fumbled, then threw to first. Bransfield jumped up and broke down the throw.

Donlin robbed Wagner of a three-bagger in the third by stopping his hot liner past short. Had it got away Hans would have landed on third, as the ball would have gone into the crowd.

"Noodles" Hahn and "Hiney" Pietz were the first players on the field for practice. They came on to limber up while the rest were parading. They were still warming up when both teams came on the field.

Hahn, in making the first throw of the game to Beaumont, got the ball off in a manner that resembled a cross fire. Kelley drew his attention, and then warned him to beware of committing an illegal delivery.

Harry Smith is throwing in grand form. His catching Miller, Huggins and Donlin in the first inning was fine. Corcoran, in the seventh, might not have stole second had Umpire Johnstone not been in the way of a throw.

Cy Seymour came near getting Bransfield's first triple. He ran over to left, and by plunging forward got his hands on the ball, but was unable to stop it. Seymour rolled over the ground, while Donlin hot-footed after the ball.

Claude Elliotte, the Reds' new pitcher, was with Hugh Duffy at Milwaukee last season. He is full and well built and possesses a good repertoire of curves. He mixed them up so well that the champions did not get one hit off him.

When the band played "Tessie" just after the pennant had been raised it was a reminder of the world's series, and the crowd cheered and joined in singing the chorus of the song, which, it was claimed, was the Pirates' hoodoo.

Tommy Leach called down some of the bleacherites because they would not move away to allow him catch Steinfeldt's foul. He kicked so long that Clarke came in and shoved the crowd back to the ropes and sent Tommy to his position.

Before the start of the game Umpire Johnstone called Managers Clarke and Kelley to the home plate, and the trio had a talk over the rules, which the umpire explained at length. The new pitching rules were the subject, but as both managers had the rules explained before a discussion of them was not necessary.

Hans Wagner is not in the best of shape yet and made a couple of ugly misplays, but he more than atoned for them when he went up into the air in the fifth inning and pulled down Seymour's line drive that looked good for three base at least.

Umpire Johnstone had his troubles taking care of the unruly players as well as judging the plays. He not only chased Peitz and Smith out of the game, but also banished Kelley and Harper from the coaching lines for making objections to his decisions.

The new pitching rule was only enforced once, and that was on Hahn in the second inning, when he made a unnecessary body motion, and Ritchey, who was on second base, was allowed to walk to third. Of course, the Reds kicked on the decision, but it was no use.

When the band took up its position on the field to head the parade out to the pennant pole the Reds were seated on their bench and showed no inclination to join in the festivities until Manager Kelley yelled, "Come on, if you belong to the union. If you don't, stay where you are." This appeal brought every Red to line.

"Red" Scanlon is a college boy, being a graduate of the Syracuse university, and he is also a medical student and will practice medicine when his ball playing days are over. As a pitcher he is all right, though he was a trifle wild in his first game. Steadiness was his worst fault when he pitched for the Hilton team last season.

O'Neil came up in a ticklish place in the eighth. Three men were on the circuit, but the best he could do was to force Corcoran at second, Wagner to Ritchey. He had to do some ball sprinting himself to beat Ritchey's throw to first. The play was a close one, and the Pirates thought they had him out and made a kick for it. O'Neil was with Grand Rapids in the Central league last year.

Before the game Manager Clarke said: "I have been trying to win opening games at home with the old pitchers so long and without success that I am going to make a change this year and give a young pitcher a chance. Scanlon is the boy I will bank on, and I think he will be able to foil the Reds." The wisdom of the move was apparent in the Pirates' victory.

Garry Herrman, president of the Cincinnati club and chairman of the National commission, together with his wife and daughter, were occupants of President Dreyfuss' private box in company with President Pulliam of the National league. The Pirate ex-secretary showed he has a good arm when he tossed the first ball out, as he sent it down to Umpire Johnstone with true aim and with the speed of a Wagner.

BATTLE OF PITCHERS.

O'Neill Weakened in the Eighth and Chicago Won the Game.

CHICAGO, April 21.—With a patched up and substitute team the locals won the opening game today in a pitchers' battle. For seven innings neither side did anything against the good pitching. A single and a double in the eighth gave the visitors one, Chicago scoring four in the same inning on two passes, an error and three singles. Attendance, 4,200. Score:

Chicago.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.	St. Louis.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.
Slagle m	1	0	0	0	0	Donohue 2	0	1	2	3	1
Casey c	1	1	4	1	0	Shannon r	0	0	3	0	0
Williams 1	1	1	13	2	0	Smoot m	0	0	2	1	0
McCarty 1	1	1	1	1	0	Beckley 1	0	0	12	0	0
Tinker s	0	1	2	7	1	Shay s	0	0	2	2	0
Jones r	0	2	2	0	0	Burke 3	0	0	1	2	1
Evers 2	0	1	3	3	1	Barclay 1	1	1	0	0	0
Moriarty 3	0	0	3	0	0	Byers c	0	1	0	0	0
Wicker p	0	0	1	2	0	O'Neill p	0	1	0	6	0
Totals	4	7	27	16	2	Totals	1	5	24	13	1

Chicago	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	4	*	—4
St. Louis	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	—1

Left on bases—Chicago 5, St. Louis 4. Two-base hits—McCarthy, O'Neil. Stolen bases—Shay, Williams, Jones, Tinker, Evers. Double plays—Shay and Burke; Smoot and Donohue. Struck out—By Wicker 2. Passed ball—Byers. Bases on balls—Off Wicker 1, off O'Neil 5. Time—1:40. Umpire—O'Day.

HITS WERE VERY FEW.

Boston Took the First Home Game From Brooklyn.

BOSTON, April 21.—Boston won a light hitting game from Brooklyn today. The cold weather kept the attendance down to 1,885. The score:

Boston.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.	Brooklyn.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.
Geier m	1	1	1	0	0	Strang 2	0	0	2	4	0
Tenney 1	1	0	14	0	0	Sheck'd 1	1	0	2	0	0
Dele'ty 3	0	0	0	3	0	Lumley r	1	2	0	0	0
Cooley l	1	1	4	0	0	Dobbs m	0	0	3	0	0
Ab'chio s	0	0	0	2	1	Babb s	0	0	4	3	0
Raymer 2	0	2	2	5	0	Doyle 1	0	0	8	0	0
Connell r	0	0	1	1	0	McCork 3	0	0	0	0	2
Moran c	0	0	5	1	0	Bergen c	0	1	5	2	0
Pitger p	0	0	0	0	1	Pools p	0	0	0	4	0
						*VanHuren	0	1	0	0	0
						†Jack'l'ch	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	3	4	27	16	2	Totals	2	4	24	13	2

*Batted for Bergen in ninth. †Batted for Poole in ninth.

Boston	0	0	2	0	0	1	0	0	*	—3
Brooklyn	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	—2

Two-base hit—Lumley. Sacrifice hit—Connell. Stolen base—Sheckard. First base on balls—Off Pittenger 5, off Poole 4. Hit by pitched ball—By Poole 1. Struck out—By Pittenger 3, by Poole 5. Passed ball—Moran. Time—1:46. Umpires—Moran and Zimmer.

Hoisting the Third Pennant.

BEFORE MONSTER CROWD.

Giants Were Badly Beaten and the Great Matty Was Driven from the Box.

NEW YORK, April 21.—The largest crowd that ever attended a ball game in this city witnessed the opening of the National league season at the Polo Grounds today with a game between the Philadelphia and New York teams. The visitors outplayed the home team in every instance, and in the fifth inning knocked Matthewson out of the box. In that inning the visitors made eight hits, when Wiltse relieved his clubmate. Before the side was retired seven runs had been scored. Fraser pitched good ball for Philadelphia and allowed the New Yorks only four hits. The score:

N. York.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.	Phila.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.
Browne r	0	0	2	0	1	Thomas m	4	4	3	0	0
Bresn'n 3	0	0	0	0	2	Gleason 2	1	2	3	3	0
Dunn 2	0	0	0	2	0	Wolv'ton 3	1	1	1	0	0
McGann 1	0	1	12	0	0	Titus r	1	2	0	0	0
Myers l	0	1	4	0	1	Dooin c	2	2	9	0	0
McCo'k m	0	1	1	0	0	Hall 1	0	0	8	1	0
Dahlen s	0	1	0	2	1	Hulswitt s	2	2	3	3	0
Devlin 2-3	0	2	0	5	0	Doolin c	0	2	3	6	2
Bo'man c	0	0	0	5	1	Fraser p	0	1	0	6	0
Mat'son p	0	0	1	1	0						
Wiltse p	0	0	0	3	1						
Totals	1	4	27	14	6	Totals	12	16	27	15	0

New York	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	—1
Philadelphia	0	0	0	7	0	3	0	0	1	—12

Left on bases—New York 7, Philadelphia 8. First base on errors—Philadelphia 2. Sacrifice hits—Browne, E. Gleason. Two-base hits—Devlin, Titus. Home run—Thomas. Stolen bases—Wolverton, Titus 2. Hits—Off Matthewson in 4⅓ innings, 11; off Wiltse in 4⅔ innings, 5. First base on balls—Off Matthewson 1, off Wiltse 1, off Fraser 4. Struck out—By Matthewson 1, by Wiltse 2, by Fraser 4. Wild pitch—Matthewson. Time—Two hours. Umpire—Emslie. Attendance—35,000.

American Association Games.

Indianapolis	6	Kansas City	5
Louisville	2	Milwaukee	0
Columbus	2	St. Paul	7
Toledo	6	Minneapolis	2

HIGH SCHOOL RELAY TEAM LEAVES FOR PHILADELPHIA

Washington to Play Wentz Pupils Today at Friendship Park—Other School News.

The Pittsburgh High school relay team, in charge of Prof. H. B. Cooper, left last night for Philadelphia, where it will compete in the championship events Saturday on Franklin field, in the University of Pennsylvania games. The team is composed of Dane Worrel, captain; Steen, Laferty, Paul, John and Thompson. The party will return Sunday morning.

The best college and school athletes in the east and west will meet in competition, but all school boys have their eyes on the relay races, as the championship will be decided. The Pittsburgh team is in fine condition. Capt. Worrell is well prepared for the race, and if the other boys hold up their end in the running it is confidently expected that he will finish a winner.

The Western University of Pennsylvania will hold an athletic meeting Monday evening at the dental college. A student football manager will probably be elected.

The Washington High school will play the Pittsburgh High school nine this afternoon at Friendship park. The Washington county preps will play East Liberty academy tomorrow at D. C. & A. C. park. The batting order for today's game is: Pittsburgh—Hallerty, middle; Bailas, third; W. Orr or Unks, pitcher; Spuhler, short; Conrad, first; D. Johns, second; Staley, catcher; W. Johns, right; Shannahan, left. Washington—Zelp, right; Duffy, short; Minton, catcher; Miller, pitcher; Jamison, second; Streeter, left; Brush, third; Holmes, first; Forsythe, middle. George Piper will umpire. Coach Wentz had the candidates practicing team work yesterday afternoon.

The Wilkinsburg High school will play East Liberty academy this afternoon at D. C. & A. C. park. Harry Bailey and King will do the pitching for East Liberty. The A. C. little team of McKeesport will play Shadyside on the Shadyside field. Ches Babst will start the game on the rubber for Shadyside. The game will be called at 3:30 o'clock.

The Swissvale A. A. last evening defeated Shadyside in a fast twilight game at Swissvale, 5 to 0. The academy boys played a remarkably fast game, but were unable to score on account of Irwin's fast pitching and remarkable backing up, the team having two double plays in the five innings. After the second inning Schultz had Swissvale guessing. Score:

	R.	H.	E.
Swissvale	0	3	0
Shadyside	0	0	0

Batteries—Irwin, Turrell, Prosser. Shadyside—Babst, Irwin, 7, by Babst 3, by Schultz 3. Bases on balls—Irwin 1, Babst 1. Sacrifice hits—Irwin, Turrell, Prosser. Umpire—Dillon.

The D 9 team of the Fifth Avenue academical department yesterday won from the D 7 nine at Schenley park, 24 to 3. The feature was the playing of Sands, Sivity, Somerhalder and D. Smith, the two outfield. Schein landed on Crow for a home run. The score:

	R	H	E
D 9	3	6	1
D 7	0	0	0

Batteries—Schein and Schmidt; King, Crow and Grafton.

Elections at Westminster.

NEW WILMINGTON, PA., April 21.—(Special.)—At a meeting of the freshman class here Wayne Ramsay of Coraopolis was elected captain of the freshman baseball team, and Hugh Lamble of Etna, captain of the class track team. The sophomores have elected W. D. Cleland of Harlansburg as captain of their baseball team, and George A. Lewis of Turtle Creek as captain of their track team. A series of baseball games and a track meet between the classes will be held this term.

WADDELL'S GRAND WORK WON GAME

Held Highlanders to Three Hits in Twelve Innings and Struck Out Sixteen Men.

HARRY DAVIS HELPED

AMERICAN LEAGUE RESULTS.

Philadelphia	3	New York	2
St. Louis	No Game	Cleveland	
Boston	No Game	Washington	
Chicago	No Game	Detroit	

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Boston	5	1	.833	Chicago	3	3	.500
Philadelphia	4	1	.800	St. Louis	2	3	.400
Cleveland	3	2	.600	New York	2	4	.333
Detroit	3	3	.500	Washington	0	5	.000

[By Associated Press to The Gazette.]

PHILADELPHIA, April 21.—The American league season opened here today with a 12-inning game won by the locals. The first ball was thrown from the pavilion by Mayor Weaver. Previous to the game the teams marched across the field headed by a band and participated in a flag raising. The game was a pitchers' battle, in which Waddell excelled. The winning run was the result of a double by Davis with two men out and one on base. Attendance 13,458. Score:

N. York.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.	Phila.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.
Conroy 3	1	0	4	3	0	Hartsel 1	1	1	1	0	0
Fultz m	1	0	0	0	0	Lajoie m	0	0	1	0	0
Keeler r	1	0	2	0	0	Davis 1	1	3	9	2	0
Elb'feld s	0	2	1	3	0	L. Cross 3	1	2	0	4	1
Wil'ms 2	0	0	3	3	0	Seybold r	0	0	0	0	0
Anderson 1	0	1	0	0	0	Murphy 2	0	1	3	1	0
Ganzel 1	0	0	16	0	0	M. Cross s	0	0	2	2	0
McGuire c	0	0	6	1	0	Schreck't c	0	0	18	0	0
Powell p	0	0	0	3	0	Waddell p	0	1	2	3	0
Totals	2	3	34	13	0	Totals	3	8	36	12	4

*Two out when winning run scored. Davis out, hit by batted ball.

New York	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	—2	
Philadelphia	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	1	1	—3	

Earned runs—Philadelphia 3. Two-base hit—Davis. Three-base hit—Murphy. Home run—Davis. Sacrifice hit—Anderson. Stolen bases—Elberfeld, Anderson, M. Cross. Double play—Murphy (unassisted). Left on bases—New York 7, Philadelphia 10. First base on balls—Off Powell 6, off Waddell 3. Hit by pitched ball—Conroy. Struck out—By Powell 5, by Waddell 16. Wild pitch—Waddell. Time—2:45. Umpires—Connolly and Carpenter.

W. & J. A WINNER.

Beats California Normal, 2 to 1, in Pitchers' Battle.

WASHINGTON, PA., April 21.—(Special.—W. and J. defeated California Normal this afternoon 2 to 1. It was a pitchers' battle. Hughes was invincible for six innings, giving but three hits. Springer then took his place, giving but one safety in three innings. McCleary for the Normals pitched great ball. The score:

W. & J.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.	California	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.
Erlser 3	0	1	1	1	1	Cree s	1	1	3	2	1
C.Ekles c	0	0	8	5	0	Hargson 2	0	0	1	0	2
Welty 1	0	0	15	2	0	Burger 1	0	1	9	0	1
Ridgely m	1	0	0	0	1	McCleary p	0	0	2	2	0
Nelson s	0	2	1	2	1	Dewar 3	0	0	2	2	0
Ferg'son 2	0	1	0	4	0	Lewel'n m	0	1	1	0	0
S. Eckels l	1	1	0	0	0	Jones l	0	0	1	0	0
Ward r	0	1	2	0	0	Crowth'r r	0	0	1	0	0
Hughes p	0	1	0	0	0	Bell 1	0	0	1	0	1
Springer p	0	0	0	3	0						
Totals	2	7	27	15	3	Totals	1	4	24	6	5

W. and J.	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	*	—2
California	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	—1

Three-base hit—S. Eckels. Two-base hits—Erlser, Ferguson, Hughes. Sacrifice hits—Ferguson, McCleary. Struck out—By Hughes, 7; by McCleary, 8; by Springer, 3. First base on balls—Off Hughes, 2; off McCleary, 2. Stolen base—S. Eckels. Double plays—Cree (unassisted); Ferguson, Nelson and Welty. Passed ball—Burner. Wild pitch—McCleary. Time—1:40. Umpire—Slicker.

WASH-JEFF RUNNERS OFF FOR U. OF P. MEET

WASHINGTON, PA., April 21.—(Special.)—The W. and J. relay team, consisting of Elder H. Marshall captain, of Wilkinsburg; Clarence Wible of Washington; Frank C. Tappan of Oxford, O.; J. B. Milton of Oil City and Sidney H. Aten of Coraopolis, left tonight in company with Physical Instructor Dr. L. M. Gilbert for Philadelphia to run in the U. of P. relay races Saturday.

W. U. P. Missed Train.

WAYNESBURG, PA., April 21.—(Special.)—The W. U. P. ball team scheduled to play Waynesburg college today, missed the train at Smithfield this morning and failed to appear. One of the scheduled games will take place tomorrow.

Columbia Boat Club Smoker.

The Columbia Boat club will hold its fifth smoker this evening. The program consists of boxing, wrestling, singing and dancing. The bank account will be a hot bound contest between Jack Bruce and "Kid" Tyler.

WASH-JEFF WILL OPEN THE SEASON AT ROCHESTER

Eugene Curtis Jumps Wheeling to Join Wilmington—Wilhelm Goes to Kingston.

The first big game of the season for the Independents will be played Saturday at Rochester. The Washington and Jefferson college nine is on the card to open the season with Manager Atterholt's crowd of hustlers. Atterholt has selected Bill Coleman to pitch the game, but if Coleman is not in trim either Simpson or Zeller will go on the rubber. Zellar has been let out by Toledo and signed with Rochester. Lindsay, who went to Indianapolis, has returned. He will sign with the Springfield Three I league club.

It will be a gala day in Rochester. There will be a parade and Mayor Doncaster will pitch the first ball over the plate. The Rochester batting order is: Mullen, third; Lindsay, second; Weagley, first; Mathay, middle; East, right; Garvey, catcher; Miles, short; McAulis, left; Coleman, Simpson or Zeller, pitcher.

Catcher O'Neil of the Cincinnati team wants "Soldier" Mullin, the Homestead pitcher, to sign with the St. Paul Western league club. A friend of O'Neil's is manager of the St. Paul team. Mullin was at Dayton in the Central league last year.

Harry Wilhelm, the old Uniontown pitcher, left yesterday for Kingston, N. Y., to play the outfield in the Hudson River league. Wilhelm was with Albany of the New York State league and the Penn Park club of York last summer. John Butternore, who led the Kingston team in batting last year, will play middle this season. He lives in Uniontown also.

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FORGERY VERDICT AGAINST ABEEL

Goelet Family Spent $20,000 in Prosecution to Prevent Annoyance.

LETTER HAD FALSE SIGNATURE

THE PITTSBURGH GAZETTE BUREAU, Herald Building, Herald Square, NEW YORK, April 21.

After deliberating less than an hour the jury in the case of James Nelson Abeel, accused of forgery in the third degree, this evening returned a verdict of guilty. The young man was remanded to the Tombs until Monday, when sentence will be passed and a motion made by his counsel for a new trial. The maximum penalty for the offense is five years' imprisonment. So far as could be learned, there was but one ballot taken by the jury.

Abeel forged the name of J. B. Van Every to a letter introducing him as J. Ogden Goelet to Eleanor Anderson, a telegraph operator at the Grand hotel. There is no J. Ogden Goelet, but notwithstanding this fact the Goelet family is credited with having spent over $20,000 in bringing to the bar of justice a man who dared assume their most exclusive name.

The closing day of the trial was marked by the appearance of Robert Goelet upon the witness stand. The court room was crowded and more curiosity was manifest concerning this member of the inner circle of the 400 than in Abeel and Miss Anderson. Another peculiar feature of the case was the fact that J. B. Van Every, whose name was forged to the letter, announced on the witness stand that he made no complaint about the misuse of his name and said he had to be subpoenaed by the district attorney before he appeared at the trial.

Robert Goelet testified that there is no Ogden Goelet in his family, and no J. Ogden Goelet.

"You have been interested in this prosecution since it started?" asked Mr. Lynch, counsel for the defense.

"I want to see the guilty punished," replied Mr. Goelet. "I placed the matter in the hands of my attorney, Delancy Nicoll, and instructed him to co-operate with the district attorney."

"Did not your lawyer persuade the district attorney to bring these proceedings?" Mr. Lynch insisted.

"No, I don't think so," Mr. Goelet replied. "I asked him to co-operate with the district attorney."

"Your estate has spent a large amount of money in prosecuting this case?"

"Not yet. The attorney has not sent in his account."

"Why did you spend any money?"

"I wanted to be protected from annoyance."

"Did you not instruct your lawyers that you would let up in this matter and be satisfied with a suspension of sentence if Abeel would plead guilty?"

"No."

The jury retired, returning after a brief deliberation with a verdict of guilty.

ALEXANDER DODDS.

NORDICA'S LIFE WAS THREATENED

Some Sensational Testimony in Doeme's Suit Against His Former Wife.

HER MONEY WAS SQUANDERED

THE PITTSBURGH GAZETTE BUREAU, Herald Building, Herald Square, NEW YORK, April 21.

Alleged threats of murder and suicide made by Zoltan Doeme against his former wife, Mme. Lillian Nordica, a well-known prima donna, figured today in a somewhat sensational argument before Judge McLean in the supreme court, where Mr. Doeme is suing to have set aside the interlocutory decree of divorce obtained against him. Neither of the principals were present in court, both being represented by counsel.

The charge was also made in a letter written to Mr. Doeme by Mme. Nordica that he had squandered a large part of her savings, amounting to about $300,000. This letter also alleges that Doeme's career since their marriage had been one of continued infidelity, and its closing sentence pleads that he will not come near the diva upon her return to America.

As the case progressed it became evident that the names of several millionaires who have interested themselves in the case was being suppressed and every effort of the court to reveal the men behind the suit ended in failure.

In the course of his address counsel for Mme. Nordica, who obtained the decree after naming Marie Laure, a rosy-cheeked child of Munich, Bavaria, declared that the separation was partly due to a threat by Herr Hoeme to kill his wife and himself. The hearing was cut short by Justice McLean's determination to learn from the affidavits describing the nationalities of the parties whether the New York court had jurisdiction. Edward Lauterbach jumped to his feet and tried to clear himself of insinuation regarding his part in the divorce suit, but the court refused to listen to him on the ground that he was not an interested party.

Attorney Hastings for Herr Doeme, in addressing the court, made a claim that his client had been trapped into the divorce agreement in Munich and that Mme. Nordica had agreed to remarry him in London. Counsel for Soley for the defense plunged into the marital woes of the musical family.

"Why, Herr Doeme expended in his own behalf $369,009 of my client's money," he said, "and never gave her an accounting. He threatened to kill her and kill himself, and put my client in such a disturbed mental state that she was prostrated. He has lived upon the proceeds of her earnings."

"Let us get at the nationality of these parties," said Justice McLean.

"Mme. Nordica is an American."

"What was her husband's nationality?"

"Hungarian."

"What did her nationality become when she married?"

Counsel was puzzled momentarily. "I will look over the affidavits," was the judge's reply, "and decide from them. Call the next case."

ALEXANDER DODDS.

SOCIETY.

ALTHOUGH very quietly conducted, the wedding of Miss Lillian Wallace and Henry E. Haller last evening was marked by the daintiest appointments. The Rev. William L. McEwan, D. D., pastor of the Third Presbyterian church, solemnized the marriage at 7 o'clock at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Clarke Wallace, in Fifth avenue. The bride was given away by her father and had for her maid of honor a cousin, Miss Marion Everson, and as flower girl, Miss Flora Kirkpatrick, another cousin. They were the only attendants. John Q. Everson played the wedding march. The bridal party formed at the rear of the house and marched through the large library into the drawing room through an aisle formed of white cords. The bride was gowned in a lace robe. The bodice was finished by a round bertha of lace and the full sleeves had deep cuffs of the same. The skirt was simply fashioned and but slightly en train. Orange blossoms fastened the tulle veil and the bride carried a bouquet of roses. Miss Everson wore a gown of white Paris muslin, prettily trimmed with valenciennes lace. Her flowers were white carnations. The little flower girl wore a girlish frock of white mull and valenciennes lace and carried a basket of lilies of the valley. An informal reception followed the ceremony, Mrs. Wallace in a gown of black crepe de chine, receiving with the bride and bridegroom. After their wedding trip, which will be concluded with a trip to the world's fair, Mr. and Mrs. Haller will make their home in Wilkinsburg. Cards announce at-home days after October, when they expect to take possession of their new home in Hill street and Center avenue. The house, which is not yet completed, is a wedding gift from Mr. Wallace. Mr. Haller, who is in the real estate business in this city, is a son of Mr. and Mrs. Louis Haller of Wheeling, W. Va. Mr. and Mrs. Haller and Miss Haller, from Wheeling; Mrs. R. J. Everson and Miss Gertrude Everson, of Wellsville, O., and Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Hammar, of Leechburg, Pa., were among the out-of-town guests at the wedding.

McCance—Bryce.

One of the daintiest and prettiest of the early spring weddings was that of Miss Mary McCance and Gerard Bryce, which took place last evening at the home of the bride's mother, Mrs. John M. McCance, in Fifth avenue, Shadyside. The Rev. William J. Reid, pastor of the First United Presbyterian church, performed the ceremony at 8 o'clock. The bride had but one attendant, her sister, Miss Martha McCance, who served as maid of honor. The bridal party was completed by the best man, Kenneth Bryce, a cousin of the bridegroom, and one usher, William Hitchman. The bride's gown was of white crepe de'angelus, effectively trimmed with lace and the long tulle veil was shirred into crown effect at the top. A graceful shower of lilies of the valley was carried by the bride. The maid of honor was gowned in white lace and carried pink sweet peas and white lilacs. Mr. and Mrs. Bryce have announced Tuesdays in June as at-home days in Shadyside. They left after the wedding supper last evening for their wedding trip. Mr. Bryce is a son of J. McDonald Bryce of Mt. Pleasant, secretary of the firm of Bryce Bros., manufacturers in this city, and is a nephew of Andrew H. Bryce, president of the firm.

Wedding at Sheraden.

At the residence of Mrs. N. C. Blackwood in Tyndal street, Sheraden, last evening, Miss Anna Martha Blackwood, who is connected with the W. J. Blackwood Company, wholesale produce dealers, of Eighteenth street, Pittsburgh, became the bride of Milton E. Blackburn, a young business man of Wellsville, O. The Rev. R. M. Blackwood of Coraopolis, a brother of the bride, assisted by the Rev. A. Blackwood of New York and the Rev. Dr. David McAllister of Pittsburgh, officiated. Miss Clara Blackwood, a sister of the bride, was maid of honor, and Herbert W. Blackburn of Cleveland, a brother of the groom, was best man. The other attendants were Miss Mary Blackwood, Sheraden; Edmund C. H. Bates, Louisville, Ky., groomsman; Wingit and Gregg Blackwood, ribbon boys, and Esther Blackwood, flower girl. Miss Nellie Blackwood of the Pittsburgh Conservatory of Music played the wedding march. A reception was held after the wedding, at which 82 invited guests were present. After May 15 Mr. and Mrs. Blackburn will be at home to their friends at Irwin, Pa., where Mr. Blackburn has engaged in the wholesale tea and produce business.

Extension Secretaries to Entertain.

Under the auspices of the extension secretaries Miss Nevin Campbell and Miss Elizabeth Sherrard, of the Central Young Women's Christian association, an entertainment will be given this evening in Factory E, of the American Staple Company. After a musical program given by the members of the association, the company will furnish refreshments and there will be a social hour. The Unesk club of the association last last evening at the home of Miss Foster in Homer street and the members gave informal talks on travel in foreign countries. Miss Brown, the general secretary, is making an over-Sunday visit at her home in Greensburg, and among the other members of the central association who are at present out of town is Miss Virginia Sherrard, who is at her home in Chambersburg.

Leap Year Party for Daughter.

Mrs. William H. Plough of Rippey street entertained last evening in honor of her daughter, Miss Nina Ouida Plough, whose birthday anniversary was. Twenty-five young people were present and during the early part of the evening played progressive games, with six prizes for the winners. Later there was a dance order, Mrs. J. K. Sands being of their partners. Mrs. Plough was assisted informally by Mrs. W. H. Armstrong of Pitcairn, who is at present her house guest, and Mrs. James A. Black of this city.

Haymakers' Cantata at Sewickley.

The first performance of the "Haymakers' Cantata," in charge of John A. Rosensteel, was given in Sewickley auditorium last evening before a large audience. All the churches of the Sewickley valley were represented in the chorus, the cast including William J. Fox of Pittsburgh, Mrs. A. Sharpe McDonald, Miss Kate Lytle, Mrs. A. C. Thacher, Miss Virginia McCready, Charles E. Martin of Pittsburgh, W. C. Nevin and D. Odmesner. The performance will be produced again this evening.

Carbolic Crystals Exploded.

While P. A. Hellerbach was boiling carbolic crystals in the rear of his drug store, 2429 Carson street, South Side, yesterday afternoon, the chemical exploded and set fire to the building. Flames of fire was sent in and the blaze was put out before much damage to the building had been done. The explosion destroyed about $200 worth of stock.

European Trip Delayed.

With his steamship ticket to Europe in his pocket and the train on which he was to go to New York due to leave few minutes later, Mike Smith was last night lodged in jail on a charge of false pretense made before Alderman J. J. Kirpy by Fire Inspector Rosenstahl. It is alleged Smith secured money from a number of his neighbors on misrepresentations and was ready to leave them in the lurch.

McKay—McMahon.

Mr. and Mrs. James McKay of Oakhill, Shadyside, have announced the marriage of their daughter, Edna Margaret, to William James MacMahon, by the Rev. William Richardson, at St. James church, Philadelphia, March 18, 1904. Mr. MacMahon finishes his law course at Yale in June. Mr. and Mrs. MacMahon will take up their residence in Cleveland in the fall.

Engagement Announced.

Announcement is made of the engagement of Miss Irene Myrtle Bennett of Steelton, to Samuel Brennand Brobst of this city, the wedding to take place soon.

AMONG THE CLUBS

Women Missionary Workers.

The Women's Missionary society of the United Presbyterian church held its 21st annual convention yesterday in the Third United Presbyterian church in Diamond street. Nearly 200 delegates, representing the 40 churches embraced in the presbytery, were present. The meeting was opened with devotional exercises, conducted by Mrs. A. L. Stoneker. Mrs. D. G. Littell, manager of the Bethesda Home, reported on the work done by that institution, the report showing that great progress had been made during the year. The report of Miss Edna Young, literature secretary, was also of a gratifying nature. Miss E. D. Brown, treasurer, reported total contributions of $16,604 31 during the year, of which $6,086 was received from thank offerings, $3,644 for salaries of foreign missionaries, $1,662 for foreign missions and $805 for home missions. The Freedmen missions were given $706 and the Italian mission $173.

The report of the thankoffering secretary, presented by Mrs. J. T. McCrory, showed the amounts received from the different auxiliary secretaries toward the thankoffering fund. Mrs. Jean B. Gands read the report of the work done by the juniors, who number over 1,500. During the year they contributed $50 for special work and $386 to the thankoffering fund. They are also the principal support of the school for girls at Luxor, Egypt. Miss Carrie Reed reported that the Indian mission, although handicapped by lack of funds, was making great progress and extending the work throughout the city. A class of girls and boys from the mission entertained the delegates with a short exercise. Mrs. J. K. Sands, of a committee to revise the constitution of the society, made a report embodying several changes which were adopted. The election of officers resulted as follows: President, Mrs. R. H. Elliott; first vice president, Mrs. H. H. Wilson; second vice president, Mrs. J. D. Sands; third vice president, Mrs. J. E. Wishart; recording secretary, Miss Margaret J. Mitchell; corresponding secretary, Mrs. J. B. Hill; Junior secretary, Mrs. G. F. Sands; literature secretary, Miss Edna Young; thankoffering secretary, Mrs. J. T. McCrory; association manager, Mrs. E. J. Given; Bethesda Home manager, Mrs. D. G. Littell; treasurer, Miss E. D. Brown.

Suspicions of practical politics in the voting were aroused for a little while at the evening session, when the secretary announced that more votes had been cast than there were delegates present. All the delegates were asked to come to the front and enroll themselves. It was then found that the count was correct.

Mrs. W. A. Phillips led the devotional exercises that opened the evening session, and a consecration and prayer service followed, in which Mrs. J. L. Davis and Miss Agnes Dice son participated. "Our Work Among the Indians" was the subject of an address by Mrs. H. J. Campbell. The amount of the thank offering was then announced as $1,106 94. Adjournment until the second Tuesday in June was voted.

Needs a Charter.

At its annual meeting next Friday afternoon the permanent civic committee will consider the advisability of applying for a charter. There is some doubt at present whether the organization of its character can secure a charter, but many of the prominent club women of Western Pennsylvania consider a charter, if it can be secured, a necessity in order to place the organization on a business basis and make it a strong body to do business and handle the sums of money which are constantly passing through its treasury. The juvenile court department pays out $4,000 a year at present; the public baths department expects, in the near future, to do work which will call for the handling of large sums of money, and the other departments, the sanitation department, of which the public baths, the sluice and garbage and the tenement house committees are but sub-departments, and the educational department, with its traveling library and school lecture committees, add to the extensive scope of the work of the permanent civic committee, all calling for more or less expenditure of money. Should it seem advisable not to make application for a charter, the individual federated members of the departments will be required to give bonds when elected to office.

The adoption of a constitution and by-laws will be another important part of the business to come up before the permanent civic committee next Friday afternoon. Heretofore, the organization has been an informal one, planned on the basis of a committee composed of delegates from the federated clubs in Western Pennsylvania. Hereafter it will be composed of all those club women who wish to be identified with it, every member of every federated club in Western Pennsylvania being entitled to a vote at the meeting next week. The meeting will open at 1:30 o'clock in the assembly room of the Twentieth Century club, in Duquesne way. Mrs. Ida M. Houghton, of Bradford is the president of the committee, and it is hoped she will come on for the meeting. The other officers are: Miss Kate Cassatt MacKnight, first vice president; Mrs. Mattie Patterson, second vice president; Miss Alice Denison, secretary, and Mrs. A. C. Knox of Avalon, treasurer.

West Virginia Federation.

Fifteen clubs united in the organization of the West Virginia Federation of Women's Clubs yesterday in the First Presbyterian church, Wheeling, W. Va. Miss Kate C. MacKnight, the president of the Pennsylvania State Federation, went to Wheeling to be one of the speakers on this occasion. The clubs which are included in the roll of the federation are the Parkersburg Village Improvement club, Mrs. H. H. Moss president; Woman's Literary club and Parkersburg Mrs. H. H. Thomas president; Huntington Woman's Literary club, Mrs. M. W. Sloan president; Sistersville Woman's Literary club, Mrs. A. C. Jackson president; Mt. Pleasant Four-O'Clock club; Romney Mutual Improvement Circle; Wellsburg Woman's Literary club, Miss Ellen Tarr president; Woman's Literary club of Wheeling, Miss Louise P. Hubbard president; the Virginia club, Wheeling, Mrs. M. Lewis president; Woman's Art club, Wheeling, Mrs. O. Russell Wood; Students' club of Wheeling, Mrs. C. W. Taylor president; Country club, Wheeling, Mrs. Alex. Young president; the Island Literary club, Wheeling, Mrs. H. J. Mendle president; Parkersburg Law club, Wheeling; the Fortnightly club, Wheeling, Miss Carrie Zane president.

Benefit for West Penn Nurses.

Invitations were issued yesterday by the West Penn Nurses' Alumni association for the benefit euchre and dance in Braun's auditorium, South Highland avenue, East End, on Thursday evening, April 28. The entertainment will be given for the benefit of the proposed nurses' hospital. The patronesses include Mrs. M. C. Cameron, Mrs. L. W. Swope, Mrs. J. H. Armstrong, Mrs. E. R. Haworth, Mrs. C. O. Anderson, Mrs. J. W. Macfarland, Mrs. George McNish, Mrs. C. H. Ingram, Mrs. J. D. Milligan, Mrs. P. K. Becktel, Mrs. Percival H. Eaton, Mrs. J. Hartley Anderson and Mrs. Lawrence Litchfield.

Warfield-Garfield Wedding.

ROCHESTER, PA., April 21.—(Special.)—A pretty wedding at this place this morning united Miss Kathryne Y. Warfield and James A. Garfield of Monessen. The officiating minister was Rev. W. S. Lockard, pastor of the First Methodist Episcopal church. The bride was attended by Miss Carrie Morrison as bridesmaid. Edward O. Warfield, brother of the bride, was best man. After months' wedding trip Mr. and Mrs. Morrison will be at home at this place.

Most Furnaces in Operation.

YOUNGSTOWN, O., April 21.—(Special.)—A canvass of the furnaces of the Mahoning and Shenango valleys shows that 25 out of 33 stacks are in operation, as follows: United States Steel Corporation, 6; Republic Iron and Steel Company, 4; Independents, 15. Idle: Steel corporation, 4; Republic Iron and Steel Company, none; Independents, 4.

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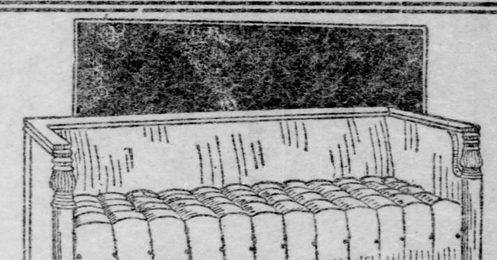

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VICKSBURG'S CAPTAIN TELLS STORY OF FIGHT

The American Commander at Chemulpo Submits Report of Destruction of Variag.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS TO THE GAZETTE.]

WASHINGTON, April 21.—A report by mail from Capt. Marshall, commander of the Vicksburg, giving an account of the engagement at Chemulpo between the Japanese and Russian naval forces on February 9, was received by the navy department today. He says that he was notified by Admiral Uriu, commanding the Japanese forces, that hostilities existed between Japan and Russia. Admiral Uriu requested, in case the senior Russian naval officer present refused to leave port, "that he (Capt. Marshall) keep away from the scene of action in the port, so that no danger from the action would come to his ships." Capt. Marshall says the Variag and Korietz, however, moved out at 11:30 a. m., standing out toward Yo-Dolimi island. Capt. Marshall gives the following account of the action:

"At 11:50 a. m. was heard the report of the first gun fired by the Japanese squadron, but it was not until 10 minutes after that the second fire was heard, the projectile striking in the water near the Variag. From then on until 12:40 p. m., when the last shot was fired by the Japanese, the engagement continued, both Russian vessels moving through a limited space to the northward and eastward of Yo-Dolimi and apparently keeping that island as much as possible between them and their enemy.

"About 12:30 both Russian vessels headed in toward their anchorage at full speed, and as they approached it was seen that the Variag had a list to port and appeared to be on fire aft on the port quarter. A number of Japanese vessels followed in pursuit until about a mile inside of Yo-Dolimi, but kept from firing, as the foreign men-of-war were directly in line of fire. They finally gave up the chase and rejoined their squadron outside."

Capt. Marshall says that on learning that there were a number of wounded on board the Variag he sent a medical officer aboard to render assistance, and when it was reported that the Variag was sinking two of their cutters and the whale boat with boats from other cruisers assisted in taking off her men and putting them aboard the Talbot and Elba. Two Russian engineer officers were taken aboard the Vicksburg and cared for for some time.

"And," adds Capt. Marshall, "on my offering to have the Zafiro used as temporary quarters they were taken to the Elba, where their captain detained them and declined my offer with thanks. These two officers very freely stated that they themselves had opened valves in the engines and fire rooms with the object of sinking their vessel."

The fire aft, he said, continued to spread, burning fiercely until the vessel rolled over and sunk. During all that time he says there were frequent explosions, and just before sinking there were two explosions of gunpowder or other nitro powder, as he judged by the orange-colored flashes. As near as he could learn the Variag's loss was 21 killed and 40 wounded, the bodies of the former going down with the vessel.

The Korietz, Capt. Marshall reports, was not hurt as far as he could learn. "She had a position between the Vicksburg and the Zafiro until 1:20 p. m., during which time she never attempted to lower a boat or go to the assistance of her consort. Later she was abandoned by her officers and men in their own boats. There were two distinct explosions, according to the report, the shock of which was so strong as to lift and heel the Vicksburg perceptibly, giving the impression on board that the forward magazine of that ship had exploded. Immediately afterward, the report says, the crew of the Chinese Eastern Railway Company's mail steamer (Russian flag) set fire to her and abandoned her.

In conclusion, Capt. Marshall said: "Between 8 and 10 o'clock a. m. there appeared to be some sort of conference taking place on board the Talbot, as was judged on seeing the frequent communications by boat from the Variag, Elba and Pascal with the Englishman. After the engagement, the following semaphore signal from the Talbot to the Elba was read by our signalman: 'Our letter of protest was delivered on board the Japanese flagship a few minutes before the first shot was fired.'"

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RUSSIA WANTS TO LOAN MONEY FROM AMERICANS

Anxious to Interest Our Capitalists in Big Fund for War Expenses.

By MALCOLM CLARKE.

[SPECIAL CABLE TO THE GAZETTE.]

BERLIN, April 21.—It has become known here that Jacob H. Schiff, the New York banker, who at present is stopping in this city, has received important news concerning an enormous Russian war loan which is to be placed in the near future. Mr. Schiff said today that he did not see any reason why he should keep it secret that Russia is making great efforts to interest American capitalists in this undertaking, but added that he felt convinced that under the present conditions in the United States it would be impossible for Russia to get money from any American capitalist.

"There is, however, no doubt," he said, "that France and Germany are able to lend the czar all the money he asks for, and are inclined to do so. At the present time Japan is in no need of financial assistance, but should that country ever try to raise a war loan any reasonable amount can be raised within a very short time in the United States."

Mr. Schiff said that there were indications showing that Germans were eager to invest more largely than ever in American securities. A good beginning had already been made and the increased commercial intercourse which would result from the St. Louis exposition would cause many Germans, who previously had been prejudiced against investing in American securities, to invest largely in those securities.

MINISTER STOPS LIQUOR SALE WHILE HE PREACHES

Presbytery Learns Clergyman Does Noble Work Among Russians in Saloons.

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE GAZETTE.]

WILKESBARRE, PA., April 21.—The Lackawanna presbytery in session here was startled and interested today by the report concerning a minister who conducts services in saloons. He is the Rev. John Kalesnikoff, a Russian, who was put to work in this district a couple of months ago with instructions to reach those Russians who have no church organization. They were difficult to get together, calls for meetings were useless, visits to their homes were slow.

They found that the chief gathering places were the saloons and there he goes on Saturday evenings, payday nights and other times when there is occasion for large assemblages. He has found large audiences. He orders the sale of liquors stopped in the name of the Lord and then talks to the men for half an hour or so. He has always been given respectful attention and has done much good, according to Dr. Logan, the superintendent of the mission among the foreigners.

MARRIAGE LICENSES.

The following marriage licenses were issued yesterday:

William Conley	Pittsburgh
Bridget Donahue	Pittsburgh
John Witt	McKeesport
Jennie Nan	Boston, Pa.
George Morton	Pittsburgh
Jane G. Beddow	Allegheny
Jess Bathurst	Pittsburgh
Nancy Stanley	Pittsburgh
William Farmerie	Pittsburgh
Lizzie Robinson	Pittsburgh
Harvey Barnhart	Etolo
Margaret Harper	Ingram
William W. Reed	Allegheny
Clara M. Hackbart	Allegheny
Richard Gibkeson	Allegheny
Alicia Buchanan	Pittsburgh
Michael Blewett	North Braddock
Phyllis H. Richards	North Braddock
Charles Barbert	Allegheny
Mary McDonough	Pittsburgh
Alexander Baher	Allegheny
Emma Nichols	Pittsburgh
Charles McElhany	Verona
Mabel E. Ackha	Verona
Frank Miller	Allegheny
Anna Pappert	Allegheny
Thomas Branch	Pittsburgh
Hattie Stephenson	Pittsburgh
Albert B. Cookson	Allegheny
Frances S. Fissel	Allegheny
William Thompson	Sewickley
Nettie M. Stedler	Pittsburgh
Henry Kinney	Pittsburgh
Ella Byrd	Pittsburgh

MASTERS OF CHESS AT CAMBRIDGE SPRINGS

Opening Moves in Great Tournament Will Be Made Monday.

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE GAZETTE.]

CAMBRIDGE SPRINGS, PA., April 21.—The masters of chess are here. Not since 1889 has this country seen such an array of stars at the game. The party arrived this morning at 9:38 and were met at the station by a delegation of the town's officials and were taken in carriages for a short drive through the streets and finally escorted to the Hotel Rider, where after dinner formal welcoming exercises were held in the Rider theater. The address of welcome was responded to by Prof. Isaac L. Rice, president of the congress, and was made by Col. Ned Arden Flood of Meadville. Mayor Matteson also welcomed the visitors to the city.

Following are the names and dates of the birth of the players and the country each represents: M. I. Tschigorin, Russia, October 21, 1850; J. W. Showalter, America, February 4, 1860; A. B. Hodges, America, July 21, 1861; G. Marco, Austria, November 29, 1863; J. Mieses, Germany, February 27, 1865; D. Janowski, France, May 25, 1868; R. Teichman, England, December 24, 1868; Dr. E. Lasker, Germany, December 24, 1868; J. Finn, America, April 28, 1871; H. N. Pillsbury, America, December 5, 1872; T. E. Lawrence, England, 1872; J. F. Barry, America, America, December 12, 1873; C. Schlechter, Austria, March 2, 1874; F. J. Marshall, America, August 21, 1877; W. E. Napier, January 17, 1881; A. W. Fox, America, April 20, 1881.

The remainder of the week will be given over to rest, except for consideration of the rules of the tournament, and Monday morning will witness the opening moves of the games that are destined to make Cambridge Springs memorable in the history of chess.

BURGLARS AT TURTLE CREEK.

Hardware Store and Two Residences Are Entered in the Night.

Three burglaries were discovered in Turtle Creek yesterday morning. By cutting out the glass in the front door of the Buck Hardware Company's store in Penn avenue, the place had been entered and $8 in cash and about $250 worth of revolvers, razors, knives, etc., had been taken.

The residence of Robert Johnson in Noel street was entered by opening a kitchen window. Several dollars in cash, a child's money bank containing about $10, and a lot of clothes and a ham were taken. The same method was tried at the house of Albert Rider, next door to the Johnson home, but the noise awakened the people in the house and the robbers fled.

Brotherhood of St. Andrew Met.

The Pittsburgh assembly of the Brotherhood of St. Andrew held a quarterly session in the Church of the Ascension, Ellsworth avenue and Neville street, last night. Delegates from the 33 chapters in this diocese were in attendance. The meeting was addressed by the Rev. Coleman E. Eyram, Ph. D., rector of St. James' church, and the Rt. Rev. Cortlandt Whitehead, bishop of the diocese.

Superior Men Want Wages Restored.

The men employed by the Superior Steel Company of Carnegie demand the restoration of the wages paid prior to last January, when they were given a 10 per cent reduction. The cold rollers struck Monday, and yesterday the shippers refused to handle the material turned out by the men who took the places of the strikers. A mass meeting will be held this afternoon.

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Italian Bought Bad $100 Bill for $2.50 and It Got Him Locked Up.

For attempting to pass a counterfeit $100 bill, Gremala Vincenzo, an Italian, was arrested last night. The Italian said he was approached by a stranger in Liberty avenue, who handed him a $100 bill and asked him to change it. After stating he had not that much money the stranger informed the Italian he would give him the $100 bill for $2 50, and Vincenzo could get it changed in a saloon.

Vincenzo gave the stranger $2 50, and when he presented the bill in a saloon he was told it was counterfeit and was turned over to the police.

Beaver Falls Man Guessed Right.

Two cases of smallpox developed in Pittsburgh yesterday. Ira Dillon of Beaver Falls walked into the bureau of health office with a friend and stated he believed he had the disease. An examination by Dr. B. A. Booth proved the surmise correct. Adam Steinhardt of 3145 Breckenridge street was the other case. Nine cases of typhoid fever and four of diphtheria were reported yesterday.

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Harrisburg Express, daily..... 4.00 p. m.
Philadelphia Express, daily..... 4.55 p. m.
Eastern Express, daily..... 7.10 p. m.
Fast Line, daily..... 9.00 p. m.
New York Special, daily, for New York only..... 10.00 p. m.
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For Buffalo and Niagara Falls, 9.00 a. m. and 11.00 p. m. daily.
For Oil City, 6.15, 9.00 a. m., 1.30, 5.05, and 11.00 p. m. week-days. Sundays, 9.00 a. m., 5.05 and 11.00 p. m.
For Titusville and Corry, 6.15, 9.00 a. m., and 11.00 p. m. week-days. Sundays, 9.00 a. m. and 11.00 p. m. For Titusville only, 1.30 p. m. week-days.
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For Atlantic City (via Delaware River Bridge, all-rail route), 8.00 a. m. and 9.00 p. m. daily. "Pennsylvania Limited," and "New York Limited," 7.15 a. m. week-days.
For Connellsville and Uniontown, 5.00, 8.25 a. m., 12.30 and 5.05 p. m. week-days, and 4.55 p. m. Sundays.
For Brownsville and Uniontown, 10.35 a. m. and 4.30 p. m. week-days. For Brownsville only, 8.00, 8.29 a. m., 1.05, 3.25, 6.40 and 11.35 p. m. week-days; 7.00, 9.35 a. m. and 1.05, 5.00, and 9.40 p. m. Sundays. For Dravosburg, West Elizabeth, Monongahela City, and Belle Vernon, 8.29, 10.35 a. m., 1.05, 3.25, 4.30, 5.25 to Monongahela City, 6.40, and 11.35 p. m. week-days. Sundays, 7.00, 9.35 a. m., 1.05, 5.00, and 9.40 p. m.

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Connsv., Un'tn & Grafton	8.00 am	*7:45 pm
Cumb., Wash. & Balt.....	† 1:00 pm	* 2:45 pm
West Newton Accom.....	† 9:15 am	† 8:00 am
Connsv. Un'tn, Morgant'n	† 1:30 pm	†10:00 pm
Connellsv. & Mt. Pleas't..	† 1:30 pm	† 2:45 pm
Connellsville Accom.....	† 4:00 pm	† 8:05 pm
Morgant'n, Clarksburg and Western.....	† 5

HILL'S PLAN GOES THROUGH

Had Votes to Spare in the Merger Stock Distribution.

HARRIMAN PROTEST

Oregon Short Line Interest Made a Demand for Return of Shares.

COURT DENIES INJUNCTION

THE PITTSBURGH GAZETTE BUREAU.
Herald Building, Herald Square,
NEW YORK, April 21.

The stockholders of the Northern Securities Company, at their special meeting in Hoboken today, cast a unanimous vote in favor of the plan proposed by the directors for the distribution of the merger stocks held by the company. There were voted 2,944,740 shares in favor and none against.

Of the total number of shares voted, 2,944,640 were cast by James J. Hill and 100 shares were cast by G. L. Richards. This is 808,740 shares more than the required two-thirds vote under the laws of New Jersey.

Early in the meeting the Harriman-Pierce interests made formal protest against the Hill-Morgan plan of distribution. As representatives of Oregon Short Line interests, they demanded the return of $37,023,000 par value common stock and $41,085,000 par value preferred of the Northern Pacific railroad, on the ground that the Northern Securities Company is simply custodian and not owner of the stock entrusted to it.

Less than half a dozen stockholders attended the meeting. One of these, George L. Richards of Washington, D. C., said he owned 100 shares of stock and declared himself before the meeting opened in favor of the prorata liquidation plan. President Hill presided and Secretary Nichols read the call for today's meeting.

Retired from the Meeting.

There was then a brief whispered conference between President Hill and Mr. Pierce. The latter read a formal protest in which he said that the Northern Securities Company is not now and never was the owner of the stock sold by E. H. Harriman and Winslow S. Pierce and that the Northern Securities Company had no right to distribute the stock under the plan proposed. There was then another whispered conference between President Hill and Messrs. Pierce and Lovett. In the meantime inspectors had been appointed to count the number of shares represented at the meeting.

Messrs. Pierce and Lovett retired from the meeting and Secretary Nichols then read the minutes of the last annual meeting and of the several meetings of the executive committee of the Northern Securities Company. These were adopted without dissenting voice. Stockholder Richards wanted to know by what process of calculation the figures $39 27 for Northern Pacific and $39 37 for Great Northern had been arrived at.

"By ratable distribution," said Vice President Clough, and Mr. Richards was satisfied. Mr. Richards then voted his 100 shares for the announced plan of distribution. No other outside stockholder appeared to have any interest in the matter.

Simply Custodian of Stock.

The notice presented by the Union Pacific interests reads as follows:

Notice is hereby given to the special meeting of stockholders of the Northern Securities Company that the undersigned claim that the shares of the capital stock of the Northern Pacific Railway Company, delivered by Edward H. Harriman and Winslow S. Pierce to the Northern Securities Company on or about November 18, 1901, and consisting of $37,023,000 par value of the common stock of said railway company and $41,085,000 par value of the preferred stock of said railway company, and the common stock into which said preferred stock has been converted, belong to the Oregon Short Line Railroad Company as the legal and equitable owner thereof; that the Northern Securities Company is not now and never became the owner thereof, but is simply a custodian, and that the undersigned are entitled to the return and delivery to them of certificates for said stock of the Northern Pacific Railway Company upon the surrender by them of $82,491,871 par value of the capital stock of the Northern Securities Company and the payment of $8,915,629 in cash received by them on such delivery of said Northern Pacific stock to the Northern Securities Company as aforesaid.

Notice is further given that the said Northern Securities Company has no right to distribute the said Northern Pacific stock prorata among the stockholders of the Northern Securities Company, or otherwise than in the same except to return the same to the undersigned.

Then follows the formal notice of the suit begun before Judge Kirkpatrick in New Jersey.

Justice MacLean, in the supreme court, dismissed the application of C. H. Venner & Co. for an injunction to prevent the Equitable Trust Company from accepting the Northern Pacific and Great Northern railway stocks held by the Northern Securities Company under the Hill plan.

Heavy Ice in Lake Superior.

DULUTH, April 21.—Banker C. J. Johnston of Grand Marais on the north shore of Lake Superior, who arrived here after a trying trip reports that the ice fields at the head of the lakes extends 50 miles out from Duluth, a condition unprecedented at this time of year. Last year navigation opened some time before this date.

CASTORIA
For Infants and Children.
The Kind You Have Always Bought
Bears the Signature of Chas. H. Fletcher.

Pain in Chest Sore Lungs Grip

How easy it is to catch cold! How quickly it settles on the lungs, and how often if neglected it results in Grip, Pneumonia and Consumption! Many deaths are caused in the beginning by a slight cold.

Hamlins WIZARD OIL

will break up a cold on the lungs in a night. It should be applied when the first symptoms appear. Rub the chest well with the medicine, lay upon it a flannel cloth wet with Hamlins Wizard Oil and cover over with flannel bandage. No ordinary cold can withstand this treatment. Apply it at night just before retiring and in the morning the cold will be broken up.

Ouray, Col., April 25, 1902.

My little girl, aged two years, has suffered more or less with Cold since her birth and finally became serious. We tried remedies of several kinds and they seemed to give no relief. A friend of mine recommended Hamlins Wizard Oil to me and after the use of one bottle she has become entirely well. I shall never be without Hamlins Wizard Oil in my house. I cannot recommend it too highly.
RICHARD W. THORNTON.

There is only one Wizard Oil—Hamlins—name blown in the bottle. Signature "Hamlin Bros." on wrapper. Take no substitute. 50c. and $1.00.

Hamlins Cough Balsam
Cures the Cold. Prevents Pneumonia. 25c, 50c.

Hamlins Blood & Liver Pills
Regulate the Liver. Cleanse the System. 25c.

FOR SALE AND RECOMMENDED BY
ALL DRUGGISTS.

WANTED.

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Male Help.

SALESMEN—The Pittsburgh Life & Trust Company desires to employ two experienced bond salesmen. Inquire Pittsburgh Life floor, Keystone building, 324 Fourth ave., Pittsburgh, Pa.

SALESMAN—Good proposition, salary. C. Bradley Price, 1115 Race st., Allegheny.

SHIPPING CLERK—Competent man for shipping, who has had experience in iron rolling mill work; state age, salary expected and give references. Address M 176, The Gazette.

ST. LOUIS WORLD'S FAIR, men work palmistry studio, $20 weekly; experience unnecessary; instructive palmistry book free. Frederick, 213 West 125th, New York.

WAGON MAKERS—Two wagon makers and two wagon and coach painters. Hieber Wagon Mfg. Co., McKees Rocks, Pa.

WANTED—For the U. S. Marine Corps—Able-bodied, unmarried men between 21 and 35, good character; must speak, read and write English; marines serve at sea on men-of-war in all parts of the world, on land in our island possessions, and at naval stations in the United States. Apply Recruiting Officer, room 414, Postoffice building, city.

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YOUNG MEN, graduates of high or technical schools, to learn telephone work. Will be given a thorough course of instruction, and will be paid moderate salaries while learning. Excellent opportunities for advancement on completion of the course. Apply in person at room 201, 416 Seventh ave., from 2 to 5 p. m., bringing references from schools and previous employers.

YOUNG MEN to learn telegraphy and R. R. business. Oldest school in Pittsburgh. Apply immediately. Pennsylvania Telegraph College, 900-901-902-903 Lewis block.

Female Help.

ANY poor girl in need of a friend, a home or advice, is invited to call or write the matron of the Salvation Home, 705 Grandview ave., Mt. Washington, Pittsburgh.

ST. LOUIS WORLD'S FAIR, women work palmistry studio; $20 weekly; experience unnecessary; instructive palmistry book free. Frederick, 213 West 125th, New York.

WANTED—A dinner waitress and pantry girl; for small restaurant. Apply at 606 River ave., Allegheny.

WOMAN—Young, for small family; no washing or baking; wages $5.00; references required. Mrs. Kennington, 18 Ninth st., Pittsburgh.

YOUNG women to learn telegraphy, day or evening, and accept positions. Pennsylvania Telegraph College, Lewis block.

Male and Female Help.

EXPERIENCED fur finishers for seal and Persian coats. Steady employment and good wages. Apply to Faulson Bros. Co., 518 Wood st.

Situations—Male.

A GENTLEMAN of broad business experience and wide acquaintanceship, responsible and capable, desires a position of trust; private secretaryship or office manager; bank references. Address W 176, The Gazette.

POSITION by experienced man in grocery store; references furnished. John Feldman, general delivery, East Pittsburgh, Pa.

SITUATION—As superintendent and geologist for an oil company, by an experienced and capable man. Address box 46, Caldwell, O.

SITUATION as salesman or collector for good house; best of references. Address P 176, The Gazette.

SITUATION—As stonecutter; speaks three different languages. John Pellemax, Broughton, Allegheny, Pa.

Situations—Female.

SITUATION by two competent Swede nurse and housework girls. 13 Ninth st., Pittsburgh.

Pupils.

RENO SHORTHAND SCHOOL, 432 Wood st. A school of the highest type, making a specialty of preparing students for ordinary and professional shorthand work. Day and evening sessions. Post-graduate course.

DRESS CUTTING, making, ladies' tailoring, patterns cut by McDowell system. Mme. Lash, formerly of 411 Penn ave., now 20 W. Sixth ave., Allegheny.

SPECIAL COURSES for people going ABROAD. BERLITZ SCHOOL, Nixon building.

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MODERN commercial education; English instructions; Gregg's shorthand; day and night school for young and middle-aged men and women; positions secured; established 1880. ACTUAL BUSINESS COLLEGE, 310 Fifth ave., Pittsburgh. (Big Ten Cent Store Building.)

Real Estate.

FOR SALE OR EXCHANGE.
Wanted—Farm, near a city, market, direct from owner; have 12-room brick house, Pittsburgh, for same.
HUMPHREY-ARMSTRONG CO.,
506 Bijou Bldg., Pittsburgh, Pa.

Partner.

WANTED—Partners who can invest from $3,000 to $10,000 each in an exclusive department store recently established and doing big business, to act as buyers and managers for various departments. Address J. C. Hoskins, Toledo, O.

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WANTED—A good square piano; must be a bargain. Address "Buyer," Box 104, Pittsburgh, Pa.

Miscellaneous.

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Do you know it can be repolished and given that "new" appearance, and that the "works" can be repaired and regulated, in short; that we can give it a new lease on life at a very small cost?

Let us give you an estimate.
ALEX ROSS PIANO CO.,
714 Penn ave.

WANTED—Address of three or four good fife and drum corps; good position. Address Box 942, Pittsburgh, Pa.

FOR carpet cleaning call telephones 3340-5 Grant; 2671 Main, F. & A.

H. C. KNAPP, commercial job printer, 3321 Butler st. Both telephones.

FOR RENT—FURNISHED ROOMS.

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City and Suburban.

GUM ST., 41—Newly furnished front rooms; all conveniences.

LARGE furnished room, Locust st., city, for ladies; reference required. Address A 93, The Gazette.

LOCUST ST., 1812—Nicely furnished rooms; also furnished rooms for light housekeeping; all conveniences.

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MILL ST., 1612, Wilkinsburg—Nicely furnished room for woman or gentleman; all conveniences; $6.00 per month.

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PENN AVE., 1707—Furnished room for light housekeeping; all conveniences.

ROBERTS ST., 1720, corner Bedford—Nicely furnished rooms; all conveniences.

ROUND ST., 2009, facing Fifth, near Jumonville—Furnished front room; new house; gentlemen.

ROUND ST., 2037—Facing 2100 Fifth, newly furnished room, new house; conveniences.

WANTED—Two or three gentlemen for furnished rooms; fine location, East End; all conveniences. Address C 93, The Gazette.

WASHINGTON ST., 42—Furnished rooms, with board; good accommodations; use of parlors.

WEBSTER AVE., 1318—Furnished rooms, all conveniences; light housekeeping.

WYLIE AVE., 1225—Nicely furnished rooms for gentlemen or housekeeping; all conveniences.

WYLIE AVE., 902—Furnished room; bath; gentlemen. Smith Apartment Dr.

WYLIE AVE., 609—Nicely furnished rooms, one square from court house.

WYLIE AVE., 1503—Furnished rooms, suitable for colored gentlemen.

East End.

AIKEN AVE., 713—Front alcove room, furnished; gentlemen only; reference required.

ALDER ST., 5945—Nicely furnished second-story room, all conveniences; gentlemen preferred.

BEATTY ST., 428, North—Two nicely furnished rooms; desirable location; near cars.

BOUQUET ST., 3722—Handsomely furnished room, with all conveniences; gentlemen preferred.

BAUM ST., 5966, one door from Highland—Large front room; bath; elegantly furnished; suitable two or three gentlemen.

BROAD ST., 6102—Large front room, furnished, suitable for two; reasonable.

CENTER AVE., 1543—Nicely furnished suite of second floor front rooms; suitable for light housekeeping; all conveniences; two blocks from Fulton st., cars pass door. These are the rooms for the summer months.

CENTER AVE., 5866—Furnished rooms; all conveniences; near Roup station; four cars pass house; desirable and convenient.

CENTER AVE., 5804—Desirable furnished front alcove room; pleasant and convenient location.

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DENNISTON AVE., 343—One large and small front room, all conveniences; near East Liberty station and all cars.

ELLSWORTH AVE., 5750—One neatly furnished front room, gentlemen only, all conveniences.

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HARVARD ST., 5613—Two neatly furnished rooms; all conveniences; breakfast if desired.

HARVARD ST., 6024—Nicely furnished front room; gentlemen; near all cars.

HIGHLAND AVE., 335, SOUTH—Nicely furnished rooms, all conveniences; both phones.

IVY ST., 918—Nicely furnished front rooms, suitable for two gentlemen; all conveniences; private family.

KENNETT SQ., 3217—Neatly furnished second floor room; one gentleman; price reasonable.

LEHIGH ST., 360—Large second floor front; location very desirable. Good board near. Bell 2107-4 East.

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MARCHAND ST., 6324—Large nicely furnished second-story front room; all conveniences.

MARCHAND ST., 6350—Bachelor suite, two bedrooms and sitting room; or single rooms.

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MEADOW ST., 223—Neatly furnished front room; all conveniences; convenient location.

MEYRAN AVE., 248—Two desirably furnished connecting rooms, single or together, gentlemen.

M'KEE PLACE, 308—Comfortably furnished rooms, single or en suite; all conveniences.

N. HIGHLAND AVE., 6, Highland place—Nicely furnished second-story front room; all conveniences.

NEGLEY AVE., 628, South—Nicely furnished front alcove room; private family; gentlemen; 'phone.

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NORTH ST. CLAIR ST., 313—Two neatly furnished rooms, gentlemen; desirable location.

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OAKLAND SQ., 67, South—Newly furnished front room; all conveniences; gentlemen.

PENN AVE., 6450—Nicely furnished second-story front room; all conveniences; 'phone.

PENN AVE., 5408—Nicely furnished front room, suitable two gentlemen; all conveniences; private family; desirable and convenient.

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SOUTH ST. CLAIR ST., 144—Neatly furnished rooms, every convenience, desirable location.

SOUTH BEATTY ST., 170—Nicely furnished room with best of board.

SHADY AVE., 206—Three nicely furnished rooms; all conveniences; near all cars and East Liberty station.

S. HIGHLAND, 207—Elegantly furnished rooms, near all cars; 'phone, all conveniences.

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WALNUT ST., 6106—Connecting rooms, furnished or unfurnished; one single room.

TACOMA ST., 7929, East End—Two furnished second-story front rooms, bed and sitting rooms; near car lines.

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Allegheny.

ALLEGHENY AVE., 1318—Lodging rooms en suite or separate; boarding across the street; also housekeeping rooms; all conveniences.

ALLEGHENY AVE., 1314—Neatly furnished rooms; bath, both gases; board if desired.

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FOR RENT—FURNISHED ROOMS.

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BOYLE ST., 1215—Three gentlemen to room, with breakfast and 6 o'clock dinner.

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FAYETTE ST., 1112—Furnished front room, all conveniences; gentlemen only, near Bidwell st.

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FAYETTE ST., 1228—Three desirable rooms with board; every convenience; terms moderate.

FEDERAL, 1318—Fourth floor, nicely furnished room; both gases; bath; suitable for two gentlemen; call evenings.

FEDERAL ST., 1509—Cheerfully furnished front rooms, suitable for three gentlemen; all conveniences.

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SANDUSKY ST., 1313—Neatly furnished rooms; every convenience; gentlemen preferred; terms moderate.

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ST. CLAIR TERRACE, 1908, Hollywood place—Nicely furnished room, all conveniences, for two gentlemen.

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First-class room and board. 275 Home ave., Bellevue.

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WESTERN AVE., 827—Nicely furnished front rooms; all conveniences, near park; terms reasonable.

WESTERN AVE., 1334—Nicely furnished room for gentlemen; all conveniences; $2.50 week.

WESTERN AVE., 947—Desirable furnished rooms, all conveniences; near Allegheny ave. car.

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FOR RENT—UNFURNISHED ROOMS.

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East End.

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FORBES ST., 3441—A couple of rooms on second floor; either furnished or unfurnished, with board.

HIGHLAND AVE., 810, North—Two unfurnished rooms; all conveniences; desirable location.

LEHIGH AVE., 219—Furnished or unfurnished front room; all conveniences; desirable location.

PENN AVE., 5008—Two or three rooms; gas, pantry, etc. M. P. Schranck.

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RURAL AVE., 5714—Large airy rooms, all newly decorated, furnished or unfurnished; all conveniences.

RURAL AVE., 5706—One unfurnished front room, first floor; all conveniences.

SOUTH HIGHLAND AVE., 384—Rooms, single or en suite, for gentlemen; furnished or unfurnished; rooms newly papered; all conveniences.

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Allegheny.

BIDWELL, 1117—Two unfurnished rooms with bath; both gases; range; $10 month.

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City and Suburban.

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WYLIE AVE., 820—Furnished rooms with board; good accommodations.

East End.

BROAD ST., 5619—Two nicely furnished rooms, with good board, near all cars; gentlemen only.

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NEGLEY AVE., 300, South—We have transferred our New York household to Pittsburgh, and offer rooms, with excellent board; references required.

RURAL AVE., 5800—Neatly furnished front room; all conveniences; board if desired.

SHERIDAN AVE., 530—Room and board; Bell 'phone 372 W.

WANTED—ROOMS.

TWO connecting unfurnished rooms, with board or near to boarding; conveniences; man and wife; no children; state particulars. Address, S. C. M., 610 Keystone bldg., city.

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WANTED—Table board in private family in vicinity of Margaretta st., for gentleman and wife. Address A 179, The Gazette.

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FURNITURE PACKERS.
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GEO. B. KELLY, 6200 Penn ave.,
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FOR RENT—Brick house, 11 rooms, reception hall; all modern improvements. Inquire 6049 Bond st., East End.

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Allegheny Residences.

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FURNITURE PACKERS.
CLEAN APARTMENTS
FOR STORAGE OF HOUSEHOLD GOODS.
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ALLEGHENY HOUSES for rent. Kiefer & Colvin, 615 West Diamond, Allegheny.

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FOR RENT—Nice flat of 4 light rooms and bath; nice front and rear porches; light and heat in main hall. 224 Liberty ave.
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Apartments.

FLATS—With bath, No. 4771 Liberty ave., E. E.; take Bloomfield cars to Mathilda st.

HOMER FLATS, $28. Take Negley ave. cars to Homer st., East End. 1507 Arrott bldg.

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FURNITURE PACKERS.
CLEAN APARTMENTS
FOR STORAGE OF HOUSEHOLD GOODS.
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MAGEE ST., NEAR FIFTH AVE.
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Choice offices on 11th and 12th floors at reduced rates.

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Single offices or suites of 2 and 3 rooms.
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327-329 Fourth ave.

FOR RENT—Fine, well-lighted, single or en suite; heated by steam; electric lights, janitor service, elevator; new Apollo building, Fourth ave., near Wood st.; rate reasonable. For plans and further information see
HOME TRUST COMPANY,
541 Wood st.

OFFICES,
$15 to $20 per month. Yoder Law building, Fifth and Wylie aves. Inquire of Yoder & Yoder, fifth floor.

FOR RENT—$23—No. 1019 Liberty st., two rooms, third floor.
HOME TRUST CO.,
541 Wood st.

ON account of removal to an eastern city, a suite of three very desirable offices for rent in a large office building. Inquire 207 Westinghouse building.

FOR RENT—Two modern offices, Grant st., near Diamond; rent $960; light, heat and janitor service. Apply to Horace J. Miller, 413 Grant st.

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FOR RENT.
$32 00—No. 5124 Butler st., large storeroom, plate glass show windows, with 4 rooms, bath and gas; excellent location for any kind of business; possession at once. See
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Desk Room.

DESK ROOM.
FOR RENT—Stenographer's services, and unlimited use of telephone, $12 per month. Inquire of Yoder & Yoder, Yoder Law building, Fifth and Wylie aves.

FOR RENT—Desk room; stenographer's services and unlimited use of telephone; rent, with desk, $15 month; without desk, $12 month. Apply Room 306, 331 Fourth ave.

FOR RENT—$15 per month; desk room; heat, light, telephone and janitor service free.
HOME TRUST CO.,
541 Wood st.

Special.

FOR RENT—MOVING VANS AND WAGONS.
FURNITURE PACKERS.
CLEAN APARTMENTS
FOR STORAGE OF HOUSEHOLD GOODS.
SHANAHAN TRANSFER & STORAGE CO.,
MAGEE ST., NEAR FIFTH AVE.
BELL 'PHONE.....1849 GRANT

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City and Suburban Residences.

IF YOU ARE GOING TO
BUY A HOME READ THIS.

The Knoxville Land Improvement Company of Knoxville has some well-built, modern new homes for sale on easy terms. As Knoxville is only 15 minutes from the Pittsburgh postoffice, it is most convenient for Pittsburgh business men.

Seven-room brick; tile bath and kitchen, laundry, stationary tubs, cabinet mantels, gas and electric lights; lot 25x100; price $4,500; terms $900 cash or $52 50 per month.

Eight-room brick; parlor, dining room and kitchen on the first floor, three rooms and bath on second, and two nice bedrooms on third floor; laundry, cabinet mantels, china closets in kitchen and dining room, gas and electric lights; paved and sewered streets; lot 25x100; price $4,500; terms, $500 cash and $32 50 per month.

Nine-room brick, reception hall, parlor, dining room and kitchen on first floor; three bedrooms and bath on second, three bedrooms on third, good laundry, with stationary tubs, water heater, furnace, cabinet mantels, gas and electric lights; on line of cars; lot 87½x100; price $6,000; terms, $600 cash and $39 50 per month.

Six-room brick house; bath, inside closet; lot 50x100 feet; $4,300; cash, $500, balance $32 50 a month.

Six-room brick; finished attic, bath, inside closet, laundry in basement, cement floor, paved cellar; lot 25x100 feet; price $3,500; cash, $350, balance $25 a month.

Four-room brick cottage; bath, inside closet, cellar, etc.; lot 26x115 feet; $2,500; cash, $250, balance $19 50 a month.

Four-room brick; bath, inside closet; lot 20x115; price $2,500; terms, $250 cash and $20 a month.

Four-room and fine attic brick; bath, inside closet, laundry, gas and electric lights, paved streets, lawn and shade trees; lot 25x100; price $3,000; terms, $300 cash and $22 a month.

Five-room brick; finished attic, bath, inside closet, laundry, gas and electric lights, paved and sewered streets; lot 25x100; price $3,500; terms $350 cash and $25 per month.

KNOXVILLE LAND IMPROVEMENT CO.,
86 Knox ave., Knoxville.
Take "Knoxville" cars on Smithfield st.

BEAUTIFUL EDGEWOOD RESIDENCE.
12 large rooms, hardwood finish; two bathrooms, large porches; lot 80x200 ft., set with trees; only 3 minutes from station and street cars.
J. A. YOUNG & CO.,
Penn and Highland aves., East End.

WE are authorized to offer this property, worth $9,000, for a short time at $7,500; owner needs money; location, Bluff st., Sixth ward; stone front, 13 rooms, two baths; an up-to-date house and rented for $81 per month.
S. A. GIBSON & CO., 401 Grant st.

FOR SALE.

City and Suburban Residences.

M'KLVEEN & WHITE, Park Bldg.

FOR SALE—

Fifth Ave., $12,500.

Rental, $1,560.

Three 3-story modern 8-room brick dwellings and 2 frame dwellings, Sobo district, actually rented at $1,560 per year, and can be sold for $12,500. Owner a non-resident. A dandy investment.

See
M'KLVEEN & WHITE,
REAL ESTATE "HUSTLERS."
604 Park Bldg.
(Harry L. McKlveen, E. John White, formerly of S. Arnold & Co.)

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SUBURBAN COLONIAL HOME.
For Sale—$12,750—14-room new solid brick center hall house, on lot 100x235 ft.; greatest bargain in Allegheny county; contract for the building alone three years ago was $13,000 (building is more expensive today); four minutes from electric line; 30 minutes from heart of city; hardwood finish throughout; library, hall and dining room quartered oak, paneled, cemented cellar, laundry, furnace, electric light; very large rooms, large billiard room; everything modern; nicely terraced grounds with large shade trees; $35,000 property across the street; a real combination of the city and country home; can be handled with $5,000 cash; for permit to see property see
HOME TRUST CO.,
541 Wood st.

DO YOU WANT A GOOD INVESTMENT?
HERE IS ONE.

A row of new five-room brick houses with all conveniences. Good renters. Street paved. Near street cars.

PRICE ONLY $16,000.00. RENT, $1,932.00.

HOMEWOOD REAL ESTATE CO.,
Both 'phones. 719 Homewood ave.

$6,800.
DAWSON AVENUE,
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Well built house of 10 rooms, reception hall, bath, laundry, furnace, etc.; lot 50x150.
BARR BROS. & CO.,
412 Grant st.

FOR SALE—CHEAP.
Good 5-room house in Herron Hill district, near car line; only $250 cash required; balance same as rent; price $2,400.
EWING & WHITE,
320

IMPROVEMENT IN TONE OF NEW YORK STOCKS

Prices Averaged Higher All Around, but There Was No Increase in the Volume of Trading. Crucible Steel Sold Off.

By JOHN O. BAGLIN, Financial Editor.

There was a general improvement in the tone of the New York stock market yesterday, but while prices averaged higher all around, there was no increase in the volume of trading. At times there was considerable irregularity, and movements in several specialties were not accounted for by any news developments. London quotations were higher and foreigners were moderate buyers. The strongest stock at the opening was Union Pacific, which opened higher at 84⅝ and advanced to 86. The only foundation for this strength was the action of the Harriman interest late the day before in obtaining a temporary injunction in the New Jersey courts against the distribution of the assets of the Northern Securities Company on the plan proposed by Mr. Hill. A hearing in this suit will be given next Monday, but Wall street is not at all sanguine that it will meet a better fate than the suits which have already been decided adversely to the petitioners. At the special meeting of the Northern Securities stockholders yesterday the vote was unanimous in approval of Mr. Hill's plan for distributing Northern Pacific and Great Northern stocks pro rata among holders of Northern Securities, and the stock of the latter closed firmer at 99¼ bid. If the proposed plan becomes effective, neither of the factions in Northern Securities will receive a controlling interest in Northern Pacific, and it may become an interesting factor in the market later on, if there should be a renewal of the competitive buying.

After the announcement of the action of the stockholders' meeting Union Pacific stock sold off slightly, but closed at a net gain for the day. The high-priced anthracite stocks then became conspicuous for strength and activity. Delaware & Hudson advanced 4 points to 160½, Delaware, Lackawanna & Western advanced 2⅝ per cent to 274½, and Jersey Central advanced 2 per cent to 161. Reading sympathized with the advance, although there was nothing in the news to account for it, and the movement came to a sudden halt late in the afternoon. The granger stocks were all steady to firm, with Rock Island in the lead, advancing to 24 and closing at 23¾. The fluctuations in Pennsylvania and Baltimore & Ohio were less than 1 per cent, and both closed at slight net changes for the day.

United States Steel preferred recovered a large portion of the previous day's loss, opening at 56⅜, advancing to 57⅝ and closing at 57⅜ bid. Pressed Steel Car, after a display of weakness at the opening, rallied 1¼ per cent to 26, and American Car and Foundry, and American Locomotive were higher. The tenor of the gossip relating to the iron and steel trade was rather pessimistic, but this group of stocks appear to have been sold to a standstill, and the short interest proves to be a sustaining factor. Some of the inactive specialties displayed great strength. United States Rubber preferred was more active than for some weeks past, opening at 93¼ and advancing to 94½ on rumors of a resumption of dividends. United States Realty and Construction advanced to 56¾ and United States Leather preferred to 80¾. A slight reaction occurred in the final dealings, but the general list closed at net gains, with the undertone still steady to firm.

The governors of the Bank of England at their regular weekly meeting yesterday again reduced the minimum rate of discount from 3½ per cent to 3 per cent, the lowest since last August. The statement of the bank showed an increase of $17,710,000 in loans and an increase of $3,590,000 in reserve. The weekly report of the Bank of France reflected the accumulation of specie at that point, there having been a gain of $7,145,000 in gold, nearly $1,000,000 in silver and an increase in loans of only $800,000. Evidently the Parisian market is being prepared for the flotation of a government loan, presumably a Russian war loan. The New York call loan market remained easy and unchanged at 1¼@1½ per cent.

Dealings on the Pittsburgh stock exchange yesterday were about one-half the average total for the previous days of the week. Crucible Steel continued the leader, but the preferred stock was weak, declining to 36¼ in the early part of the session. Later there was a recovery to 37½, at which price there appeared to be a fair demand, the market closing at 37⅜ bid. There was no announcement during market hours of the closing of the Clairton deal. Pittsburgh Coal preferred sold off to 56, but recovered to and closed at 56⅜. The common stock, after declining to 15¼, recovered to and closed at 15⅜ bid. Pittsburgh Brewing declined slightly on the action of the license court. Westinghouse Electric closed a dollar a share lower at 79, and Pittsburgh Plate Glass was a point lower at 119. Changes in the remainder of the list were unimportant.

PITTSBURGH STOCKS.

Sales on the Pittsburgh stock exchange yesterday were as follows:

10 A. M. to 10:30 A. M.

20	Mfrs. L. & H.	30½	
17	Phila. Co.	38⅝	
50	Pgh. Coal pfd	56¾	
150	do	56	
20	do	56	
50	do	56	
10	do	56	
65	do	56	
33	do	56	
25	do	56	
120	Citizens Trac.	65	
100	Brewing	25	
35	do	25	

10:30 A. M. to 12:30 P. M.

5	Crucible pfd.	37	
25	do	37⅛	
10	do	36½	
3	do	36	
20	do	36⅛	
5	do	36¼	
10	do	36⅛	
15	do	36⅛	
10	Armenia Ins.	80	
70	Brewing pfd.	48	
20	do	45	
50	Electric 2ds	79½	
50	do	79¼	
50	do	79¼	
10	do	79¼	
25	do	79	
25	do	79	
18	do	79	
10	do	79	

12:30 P. M. to 2 P. M.

50	Crucible pfd.	36½	
50	do	36⅜	
50	do	36⅜	
15	do	36⅝	
15	do	36⅝	
25	do	37	
40	do	37	
50	do	37	
100	do	37½	
50	do	37⅝	
20	do	37⅝	
20	do	37½	
25	do	37⅝	
25	do	37⅝	
50	do	37⅜	
50	do	37⅜	
50	do	37⅜	
50	do	37⅜	
50	do	37½	

2 P. M. to 3 P. M.

40	W. Airbrake	135	
25	Brewing	24⅝	
50	Cent. of Gas	15¼	
10	Rfg. Coal pfd.	25¾	
50	Pgh. Coal pfd	56⅜	
3	Mfrs. L. & H.	30¼	
50	do	30⅜	
20	Pgh. P. Glass	119	

*Per cent.

Summary.

Shares.	High.	Low.	Last Sales.	Ch'ge.
10 Armenia Ins...	80	80	80	—5
270 Brewing	25	24⅝	24⅝	—⅜
100 Do preferred	45	45	45	0
120 Citizens Trac.	65	65	65	0
1483 Crucible St. pf.	38	*36	37⅜	—1¾
205 Mfrs. L. & H.	30½	30⅛	30⅛	—⅜
200 Marsden	3	3	3	—⅛
17 Phila. Co	38⅝	38⅜	38⅝	+⅛
100 Pgh. Coal	15½	15¼	15⅜	—⅜
857 Do preferred	56⅝	56	56⅜	+⅛
20 Pgh. Pl. Glass	119	119	119	—1
45 River Coal pfd	25¾	25¾	25¾	—⅛
110 U. S. Steel pfd.	57⅜	57	57⅜	+⅝
40 West. Airbrake	135	135	135	0
275 West. Elec. 2ds	79¼	79	79	—1
3890 BONDS.				
$1000 P. McK. & C. 5s.	96	96	96	+1
$523 P. Coal pf. div. WARRANTS.	199¾	199¾	199¾	+⅛
12-15 Monon. Water	35	35	35	0

*Less than 10 shares. †Per cent.

Closing Bids and Offers.

STOCKS.	Par.	Bid.	Ask.
Birmingham Insurance	50	66	....
Mfrs. Light & Heat	50	30¼	....
Ohio Fuel Supply	25	28½	....
North Side Bridge	50	20	....
Luster Mining	10	10½	12
West. Electric 2d pfd	50	79	....
Consolidated Ice	50	6½	....
Crucible Steel	100	5	5¼
Do preferred	100	37⅜	37⅝
Monon. River Coal	50	....	25⅝
Monongahela Water	25	34	35
Marsden	100	3	3¼
National Fire Proof	50	9¾	10
Do preferred	50	30½	31¾
Philadelphia Company	50	38⅜	....
Pittsburgh Brewing pfd	50	....	44½
Pittsburgh Coal	100	15⅜	16
Do preferred	100	56⅜	57
Pittsburgh Plate Glass	100	....	119½
Pittsburgh Stove & Range	50	....	....
Standard Underground Cable	100	178	....
United States Glass	100	37	....
United States Steel	100	10¾	....
Do preferred	100	57⅛	....
Westinghouse Airbrake	50	135	136
BONDS.			
Pgh. McK. & Conn. 1st 5s	....	....	98
Monon. River Coal 6s	....	110	....
Philadelphia Company 5s	....	....	110
Pittsburgh Brewing 6s	....	113	....
Birmingham Traction 5s	....	113¾	114½

NOTES AND COMMENT.

An authorative statement was made yesterday afternoon that the Clairton deal had not been finally closed, but that all the details would probably be agreed upon today and a formal announcement to that effect made. All the published statements heretofore made relative to the options held by the United States Steel have omitted to mention the $1,000,000 St. Clair Terminal Railroad 5s. These were issued to bear the expense of making railroad connections on both sides of the river. Including this issue, which is a straight 30-year bond that does not mature until 1932, the present bonded debt of the Clairton plant is $11,250,000, all bearing 6 per cent and ranging five years in maturity from 1906 to 1932. Adding the $50,000 a year on the $1,000,000 United States Steel sinking fund 5s which Crucible Steel is to receive, would bring the total fixed charge assumed by the purchaser up to $612,500 a year. However, in July next $500,000 of the Clairton Steel 5s fall due, and thereafter the interest charge would be reduced by the annual redemptions. It is consequently estimated that the profit of $2,500,000 on the producing capacity of the Clairton plant would be sufficient to meet fixed charges and extinguish all the bonds at maturity. Steel men familiar with the situation express the opinion that in the Steel Corporation is obtaining a bargain if the terms are anything like those currently reported.

A prominent member of the Pittsburgh stock exchange yesterday expressed himself as bearish on both steel and coal stocks. "The railroads are not buying supplies," he said, "and their traffic is an indication of a boom in structural material. Then this late spring is bad for all kinds of trade. It is hard on small fruits and vegetables, which will hurt the canning trade. It will make labor building and business will hardly get started before we are in the middle of the presidential campaign. I feel that this will be an off year, and my customers talk the same way."

A private sale was reported by Coyle Bros. of a block of 130 shares from City Trust at 116. This is an advance over the last previous sale.

Gross earnings of Missouri Pacific for the second week in April decreased $70,000.

Pittsburgh Brewing common declined to 24⅜, and the preferred, after selling at 45, was offered at 44½. The decline was based upon the action of the license court in imposing a penalty upon the company for infractions of the law regulating the business.

Pittsburgh Coal had the appearance of being supported. The common stock early in the day sold at 15¼, but just at the close of the market the price was bid up to 15⅜. The preferred was also bid up to 56¾, representing a gain of a small fraction over the previous day.

The Amalgamated Copper directors yesterday declared the usual quarterly dividend of 50 cents a share.

The prevailing sentiment in Wall street is bearish, but the short interest is thought to be large, and this deters bears from attacking the market.

C. S. Jobes, president of the American bank of Kansas City, Mo., the successful bidder for the $3,000,000 Philippine certificates of indebtedness, is in New York looking over the market for these certificates. That a Missouri bank steps in to buy government securities in competition with New York banks is a pretty good indication of the prosperity of our people," remarked he. "We have been attending to business and making money. We have the big crops and got good prices for them. Why, the farmers are so prosperous that they compete with the banks in lending money. If a farmer wants to borrow $1,000, he doesn't go to bank. His neighbor supplies it, and probably on more favorable terms than the bank could."

The Pullman Company has declared the regular quarterly dividend of $2 a share, payable May 16 to stock of record April 20.

A private sale of 10 shares Colonial Trust at 340 was reported, an advance of $5 a share.

The appearance of the Philadelphia Company statement of earnings, including affiliated companies, for the three months ended March 31, makes it possible to figure the results for the 12 months of the fiscal year ending March 31, 1904, as reported by the company. These figures show: Gross, $15,489,247; net, $8,410,462; total income, $6,744,762; surplus for Philadelphia common stock, $2,556,756. The Philadelphia Company common stock dividend requires about $1,740,000, or 6 per cent, on $29,000,000 stock, leaving a balance of $816,756.

It is said the next New York Central note issue will be made early in May, and will amount to at least $5,000,000.

The gross earnings of Panhandle for March decreased $98,956, and net decreased $256,913.

The profits during the past year of the Philadelphia trust companies compare with those of the Boston trust companies as follows:

	Boston.	Philadelphia.
No. of companies considered	35	14
Capital	$ 8,600,000	$18,000,000
Surplus & undiv. profits	12,010,551	33,498,768
"Working capital"	20,610,551	51,498,768
Net profits for year	2,305,218	4,060,488
Per cent earned on capital	26.8	22.74
Per cent earned on "working" capital	11.2	7.95
Dividends paid in year	673,000	2,377,500
Per cent divi. to capital	7.9	13.2

At the annual meeting of the South Side Trust Company yesterday the following directors were elected: William Larimer Jones, George A. Howe, John H. Rickelson, Jr., Fred George A. Howe, John H. Rickelson, Jr., Fred-erick G. Kay, Charles F. Schuyler, William H. Weber, A. C. Mitchell, J. P. Kelly, Robert S. Lockhart, W. S. Thomas, R. J. Munhall, Frank J. Klumpp, F. C. Beinhauer, J. B. Laughlin, Charles E. Breitwieser, Benjamin Page.

The Drygoods Market.

NEW YORK, April 21.—The drygoods market has been more active in certain quarters, owing principally to the weakness of prices on a few lines. The outlook is for a maintenance of present prices, although the demand may not continue, it is believed, to be impossible to shade prices much further.

Neighbors Visiting Pittsburgh.

The residents of nearby towns registered at the local hotels last night were as follows:

Duquesne—O. W. Gilpin, Kittanning; W. W. Beall, Wellsburg; J. B. McIntosh, Altoona.

Henry—R. A. Richards, Waynesburg; J. D. Hitchman, Mt. Pleasant; C. B. Thompson, Charleroi; C. F. Wright, Monessen.

Seventh Avenue—W. B. Wolff, Brookville; J. P. Simpson, Akron; A. W. Loffer, Meadville; C. P. Munners, Oil City.

Newells—R. W. Hicks, Kittanning.

Griswold—George B. Martin, Franklin; P. K. Maloy, Scottdale; A. W. Holland, Youngstown; C. D. Canfield, Kittanning.

Anderson—J. W. Jones, Punxsutawney.

Monongahela house—F. S. Warn, Meyersdale; Guy H. Davies, Carlisle; John Hughes, New Castle.

Lincoln—John Rayne, Empire.

Colonial—M. A. Marrs, Punxsutawney; G. Charles, Franklin; Frank Austin, Oil City.

NEWS FROM THE MINES.

It is reported that the Philadelphia Zinc Company will at once commence the erection of a concentrating plant on the New South mine in Arkansas.

The Shannon Copper Company of Clifton, Ariz., produced 1,152,000 pounds of blister copper during March.

The mill at the Bamberger-Delamar Mines Company at Delamar, Nev., is handling an average of 300 tons of ore daily and making a high extraction of values.

The Greene Consolidated Copper Company's production for March was 5,089,000 pounds of copper, 41,000 ounces of silver and 1,800 ounces of gold. For the first three months of 1904 the company's mines have produced 15,378,000 pounds of copper.

The Ethel Gold Mining Company of Salida, Col., has shipped 3,000 pounds of graphite ore to Denver. The graphite was taken from the 40-foot deposit recently discovered in Turret district, 15 miles north of Salida.

At Grass Valley, Cal., the Continental Copper and Gold Mining Company has been formed to open copper deposits west of that city and reopen the old Badger gold mine. The company has bonded five copper claims and the Williams ranch of 240 acres.

It is stated that the Alaska Copper Company at Coppermount, Alaska, has a stock pile of 25,000 tons, assaying 20 per cent copper and gold values. The 250-ton smelter is to be shipped soon by the Allis-Chalmers Company, the site being ready on which to erect the plant. It is calculated that smelting will begin in June.

The stockholders of the Seminole Mining Company have authorized the directors to issue bonds not exceeding the value of $35,000 bearing 6 per cent interest. Supt. D. C. Wilson has been appointed temporary receiver of the company in Georgia. The step, it is said, was taken for the interest of all concerned, and the receivership will be made permanent on April 25.

With the declaring of a dividend of 1 cent a share by the Big Casino mine in Tuolumne county, Cal., another dividend-paying mine is added to the list of valuable properties in which Spokane mining men are interested.

Some highly satisfactory advices were yesterday received from the Pittsburgh party now at Tonopah regarding properties in which local capital is interested.

For the last three weeks two prospectors from Colorado have been in the Animas Creek district, about 20 miles northwest of Hillsboro, N. M., and have reported the finding of some very rich ore. One ledge is said to have been 500 and 700 pounds and has free gold all through it. F. W. Parker, O. C. Townsend and Nicholas Gailes, all of Las Cruces, N. M., are interested with these prospectors.

The March cleanup of the California King Company of Picacho, Cal., is reported to be valued at $28,000.

The Forty Gold Development Company recently struck a good looking 12-inch streak of ore in the breast of their Nebraska tunnel at Idaho Springs, Col.

The Alaska Treadwell Gold Mining Company of Juneau, Alaska, has declared a dividend of 37½ cents a share and a bonus of 75 cents per share, payable April 28. The distribution on a capitalization of 280,889 shares will amount to $225,000.

The Metal Market.

NEW YORK, April 21.—The London tin market was 5s higher for spot, that position closing at £127 7s 6d, while futures were unchanged at £128 15s. Locally tin was quiet and unchanged at $27 87½@28 12½. Copper remained steady and unchanged in the New York market, with Lake quoted at $13 12½@13 62½, electrolytic at $13 12½@13 25 and casting at $12 87½@13 12½. In London the market was lower. Spot declined 1s 3d to £57 17s 6d and future were quoted 6d below at £57 12s 6d. Lead was quiet locally at $4 00@4 05, but declined 2s 6d in London, where it closed at £12 0s. Spelter was unchanged, in both markets. In New York it closed at $5 20@5 25 and at £22 7s 6d in the London market. Iron closed at 52s 3d in Glasgow and at 44s 3d in Middlesboro. Locally iron is unchanged: No. 1 foundry northern at $14 75@15 25, No. 2 foundry northern at $14 75@15 25, No. 1 foundry southern and No. 1 foundry southern soft at $14 25@14 75.

PITTSBURGH INDUSTRIAL EXCHANGE.

	Bid.	Asked.
*Bald Butte M. Co	.70	.80
Black Diamond Copper	1.15	1.40
*Calumet & Arizona Copper	106.00	116.00
Calumet Pittsburgh	29.00	35.00
Columbus Cons	.13	.16
Dakota Calumet G. M. Co	.45	.50
*Daly-West	21.50	23.50
Giroux Cons	2.50	4.60
Ethel Cons	.04	.06
*Gold Coin M. Co	.36	....
*Grand Central	4.25	4.90
Hilden Fortune	.07	.10
*Homestake M. Co	52.00	57.50
Horseshoe M. Co	.09	.13
*Mine La Motte	8.25	9.00
*Montana Tonopah	1.58	1.55
N. Y. Grass Valley	.12	.16
Pgh. & Montana Copper	35.00	50.00
President G. M. Co	.05	.08
*Sacramento (Utah)	.20	.25
Sierra G. M.	.05	.08
Silver King Coalition	60.00	64.00
Spearfish G. M. Co	.29	.33
Stony Pass M. Co	.55½	....
Sunbeam M. M. & M.	....	.30
Tonopah Extension	.75	.80
Tonopah Midway	.36	.44
Tonopah Mining	10.00	11.00
George A. Treadwell	1.10	2.00
Twentieth Century (Ontario)	3.10	2.00
*Utah Cons	33.50	....
*Vindicator Cons	.78	.80
Wellington G. M. Co	.15	.20
West Gold Hill	.11	.15
General Chief Oil	1.40	1.25
Marconi Wireless	49.00	53.00
West. A. A. & S. C. Co	38.00	48.00

*Dividend payers.

Sales:

1000 Sacramento 23¾
100 Sacramento 24
500 Hidden Fortune 09½
10 Daly-West 23.00
1000 Spearfish 32.00
1000 Vindicator 78½
1500 Stony Pass 57.50

Boston Copper Stocks.

(Reported by A. E. Masten & Co.)

STOCKS.	Open.	High.	Low.	Close Bids.
Alloucz	4⅞	4⅞	4⅞	4⅜
Bingham	21¾	21¾	21¾	21½
Calumet & Arizona	105	*111	....	105
Calumet & Hecla	*469	....	....	469
Centennial	19½	19½	19½	19¼
Calumet & Pittsburgh	13⅛	*35	....	....
Elm River	2⅜	2⅜	2⅜	2¼
Franklin	7⅝	7⅝	7⅝	7½
Junction Devel. Co	*25	....	....	*25
L. S. & Pgh. Devel.	*150	*160	....	150
Mass	4¾	4¾	4¾	4
Mohawk	41½	41⅝	41⅛	41
Michigan	5	5	5	4¾
Osceola	57½	57⅝	57	57
Old Colony	1⅝	1⅝	1½	1½
Parrot	*24	....	....	*23½
Pittsburgh & Duluth	*50	....	....	*50
Range Consolidated	42	42½	42	41⅝
Trinity	4	4	4	4
Tamarack	....	....	....	....
United Fruit	101½	103	101½	103½
Utah	32⅝	33¾	33⅝	33⅝
U. S. Mining	20⅜	20⅜	20⅜	20
Victoria	3	3	3	3
Wolverine	72	72	72	65½

*Bid. †Asked.

New York Mining Stocks.

Adams Con	.25	Little Chief	.06
Alice	.18	Ontario	4.25
Breece	.10	Ophir	5.50
Brunswick Con	.60	Peerless	.90
Comstock Tun	.09	Potosi	.20
Con. Cal. & Va	1.70	Savage	.45
Horn Silver	1.30	Sierra Nevada	.68
Iron Silver	1.60	Small Hopes	.15
Lead'lle Con	.02	Standard	2.60

MOVEMENTS IN TRADE.

NEW YORK, April 21.—The directors of the Amalgamated Copper Company today declared the regular quarterly dividend of one-half of 1 per cent.

NEW YORK, April 21.—The United States Rubber Company declared today a dividend of 1½ per cent on the preferred stock. This is the first dividend on this stock in several years.

TORONTO, April 21.—D. D. Mann of the Canadian Northern railway said today that his company counted on building 400 miles of road in the Northwest this year. The MacKenzie and Mann interests will at once commence the construction of the James Bay railway as soon as the measures pass the Ontario legislature.

NEW ORLEANS, April 21.—Judge Holt in the United States district court today overruled the demurrer interposed by Daniel J. Sully & Co. against the involuntary petition in bankruptcy filed against the firm by Stephen R. Bald & Co., Swathmore & Co. and other creditors, giving the defendants leave to answer the amended petition within 10 days on the payment of costs.

TRENTON, N. J., April 21.—Vice Chancellor Bergen today, on application of R. S. Pierce of Buffalo, appointed Armstrong Mulford of Plainfield, N. J., temporary receiver for the Ideal Cash Register Company of East Bound Brook, N. J. Pierce claims to own 7,385 shares of the company's stock and says the concern is indebted to him to the extent of $156,000 and to the World's Dispensary Medical association of Buffalo to an amount exceeding $200,000.

FEATURES OF THE DAY.

IN PITTSBURGH.

Bank exchanges foot up $6,652,323, a decrease of $1,975,000.

Stock market was dull and prices averaged lower.

Crucible preferred declined to 36¼ and rallied to 37½.

Brewing common declined to 24⅜ and the preferred was offered at 44½.

Pittsburgh Coal common declined to 15¼ and rallied to 15⅜ bid.

The preferred declined to 56, but recovered to 56¾.

IN WALL STREET.

Improved tone to the stock market and prices closed higher.

Union Pacific led the early advance, but lost part of the gain.

Action of the Northern Securities stockholders had little effect.

High-priced anthracite coalers the strongest on the list.

Steel stocks recovered part of their loss and closed steady.

Sales for the day included 323,100 shares stock and $1,715,000 bonds.

COMPLETE RECORD NEW YORK STOCKS

Daily range of prices reported by Messrs. Henry Sproul & Co., Peoples Savings Bank building, members of New York, Philadelphia, Pittsburgh and Chicago stock exchanges, and Chicago board of trade.

ACTIVE LIST.

Shares.	High.	Low.	Last Sales.	Ch'ge.
26700 Atchison	72⅝	74	73⅝	73½
200 Do preferred	93½	93¼	93⅜	93¼
1000 Am. Sugar Ref	127	127½	127	127⅝
2300 Am. Loco	18½	19⅛	18½	19⅛
100 Do preferred	81½	81½	81⅛	80½
600 Am. C. F	17⅝	17⅝	17⅜	18
800 Do preferred	71	72	70¾	70½
American Chain	....	....	....	40¾
Do preferred	....	....	....	94⅝
5000 Amal. Copper	49½	49¾	49¼	49¾
Anaconda Cop	....	....	....	14
Am. Ice	8⅜	8⅜	8⅜	8
200 Do preferred	93⅜	93⅜	93⅜	92⅝
300 American Ice	7⅛	7⅛	7	7
100 Do preferred	27	28¼	27	28½
2000 Pt. & O	74⅜	76⅛	70¼	75⅛
Do preferred	....	....	....	90¾
B. R. Trans	45⅛	46⅜	45¾	46
1100 Can. Pacific	116¾	117⅛	116⅜	117¼
1000 Chi. & N. W	164¾	165⅜	161⅝	164½
11900 Con. Gas	210	210½	208⅝	208⅝
400 C. & O	32½	32½	32¾	32
100 Chi. & Alton	37⅞	37⅞	37⅜	37½
200 Chi. & C. 1st pf	170	170	168	168
300 Col. F. & I	31	32	31	32
100 Corn Product	13¾	13¾	13¾	13¾
100 Do preferred	71¾	71¾	71¾	70½
100 Del. & Hud	160	160	159	160
1000 D., L. & W	271½	274½	271½	270
14000 Del. & Hudson	156½	160½	156½	159⅜
5000 Erie	26⅜	26⅞	26½	26⅝
1000 Do 1st pfd	65	65	65	65
100 Gen. Electric	163¼	163¼	163¼	163½
Hocking Valley	....	....	....	67
Do preferred	....	....	....	80¼
500 Ill. Central	131	131	130⅜	130½
200 Int. Paper pfd	66	66	66	66
L. E. & W	27½	27½	27½	27
1200 L. & N	108	108¾	107½	108¾
700 Manhattan	142⅜	142⅞	142¼	142⅝
2800 Mo. Pacific	93⅞	93¾	92⅝	93⅜
200 M., K. & T. pfd	38	38⅛	38	38
3700 Metropolitan	112	114	111⅜	113
200 Do preferred	70	70½	70	70½
Mex. Central	6¼	6⅝	6¼	6
Natl. Lead	....	....	....	17½
Do preferred	....	....	....	88
Natl. Biscuit	42½	42½	42¼	42¾
Do preferred	....	....	....	104
700 N. Y. Central	116	116½	115⅞	116
900 N. J. Central	159	161	159	160⅜
1000 N. Y., O. & W	21⅝	21⅝	21⅜	21½
300 Norfolk & West	58	58¾	58	58⅜
100 Do preferred	88⅝	88⅝	88⅝	88
100 Peoples Gas	96⅜	96⅜	96⅜	97
900 Pacific Mail	39¾	40¼	39¾	40
500 Pullman	211½	212	211	212
4200 Pressed Steel Car	25¾	26	24⅝	25½
100 Do preferred	70	70	70	70½
18900 Penna. R. R	117	117⅜	117	117½
100 P., C. & St. L	90	90	90	90
Railway Springs	19⅜	19⅜	18¾	17⅜
Do preferred	....	....	....	72½
17200 Reading	44½	45¾	44¼	44⅞
Do 1st pfd	....	....	....	78¼
Do 2d pfd	65⅞	65⅝	65	65¼
4200 Rock Island	23	23⅝	23	23½
500 Do preferred	64½	65¼	64½	64½
1000 Republic Iron	7	7¼	7	7
200 Do preferred	44¾	44½	44¾	44⅜
19900 Southern Pacific	48⅝	49¼	48⅝	48⅞
800 Southern Ry	21⅜	21⅝	21⅜	21¾
500 Do preferred	85⅛	85⅛	85	84½
12500 St. Paul	144	144⅞	144	144⅝
200 S. L. & S. W. pfd	35⅛	35¾	35⅛	35
400 Tenn. C. & I	38	38	38	38
2200 Texas & Pacific	24⅜	24⅝	24⅛	24
1100 T., St. L. & W	26	26⅜	26	26
700 Do preferred	38¾	38⅝	38	38
18400 U. S. Steel	10¾	10⅞	10⅝	10⅝
49000 Do preferred	57⅝	57⅞	56⅝	57⅜
Do 2d 5s bonds	77⅜	78⅛	77⅜	78¼
41500 Union Pacific	84⅜	86	84⅝	85¼
600 Do preferred	93	93	93	92½
2900 U. S. Rubber	13½	13⅝	13⅜	13⅝
2100 U. S. Leather	7	7¼	7	7⅛
2500 Do preferred	79½	80¾	79½	80
400 U. S. R. & Cons	6¾	7	6¾	6⅞
3200 Do preferred	54⅞	57¼	54⅝	56¾
200 Va.-Car. Chem	18⅝	18⅝	18⅜	18⅜
2300 Do preferred	35⅞	39½	35⅞	39
600 Western Union	88¾	88¾	88¼	88¾
W. & L. E	....	....	....	16
Do 1st pfd	44	44	44	45
Do 2d pfd	25	26	25	25¼
300 Wisconsin Cent	18⅜	18⅝	18⅜	18⅝
100 Do preferred	40	40	40	40
400 W. Elec. 2d pfd	150	150	150	150
M. St. L. & S. S. & M	....	....	....	60⅜
Do preferred	....	....	....	118
900 Sub. Goods Mfg	15⅞	16⅜	15⅞	16½
Do preferred	27	27	25¼	26⅝
Do preferred	98	100½	98	99⅞

INACTIVE LIST.

100	Am. Agl. Chem	....	13	13	13
100	Am. Steel Hoop	....	6¾	6¾	6¾
400	Am. H. & L. pfd	....	17½	17½	17½
100	Chi. Term. Tr. pf	....	19	19	19
110	Corn Product	....	13¾	13¾	13¾
100	Iron Prof	....	71¼	71¼	71¼
500	D. & R. G	....	21	20¼	21
200	K. & D. M	....	18⅜	18	18¼
400	Do preferred	....	35½	35	35⅜
200	Mex. Subs	....	79	79	79
400	M., K. & T	....	17¼	17¼	17¼
100	N. Y. Airbrake	....	133	133	133
200	Pere Marquette	....	78	78	78
1000	Tenn. Coal	....	34⅝	35¾	35⅛
125	Sloss	....	39½	39½	39½

CLOSING PRICES NEW YORK BONDS.

U. S. reg. 2s, reg.	106½	Mex. con. gold 4s.	102½
Do coupon	106½	*Mex. Central 4s	67
U. S. 3s, reg	106¼	Do 1st inc	12¾
Do coupon	107¼	M., K. & T. 4s	96¾
U. S. new 4s, reg.	133	M., K. & T. 4s	90½
Do coupon	134	Do 2ds	78½
U. S. old 4s, reg.	107½	*N. R.R. of M. 4s	75
Do coupon	107½	N. Y. C. & H. 3½s	98
U. S. old 5s, reg.	107½	N. J. C. gen. 5s	129¾
Do coupon	107½	Nor. Pacific 4s	103¾
At. Coast L. 4s	99½	Do 3s	72¾
Balt. & Ohio 4s	106½	N. & W. g. 4s	97⅝
Do 3½s	94	Ore. S. L. 4s & g.	95

APARTMENTS WILL CAUSE COMMENT

John C. Dilworth Will Build $40,000 Flats in North Highland District.

SHADYSIDE PROJECT REVIVED

An apartment house that is certain to occasion much more than the usual amount of comment is soon to be erected by John C. Dilworth, the salt broker, on the west side of Sheraden avenue, near Jackson street. Plans for the building, which will cost $40,000, have already been drawn by Architect William Henry Sims and ground will be broken next month. The site measures 50x150 feet and was bought by Mr. Dilworth about a year ago. The building itself will be a four-story brick and stone structure 64x94 feet and will have a 26-foot lawn in front, after the style of the O'Brien apartments in Wilkinsburg. It will contain eight suites of six rooms each, which will easily rent in that locality for from $35 to $40 a month each. In their finish and appointments the apartments will be strictly high class, and front and rear porches and a roof garden will afford the tenants a fine view to Schenley park on the one side and the residence of Thomas Bigelow on the other.

Interest in the project centers in its location in one of the most aristocratic neighborhoods in the city. Only a few rods west of it, facing in North Highland avenue, is the mansion of A. R. Peacock, and is separated from the Peacock stables and three greenhouses by a high stone wall. To the north, on the same side of Sheraden avenue, is the residence of George B. Boswell, lately bought for $35,000, and the handsome homes of Councilmen C. H. West and John Kirk and Attorney James Francis Burke. Across Sheraden avenue are the Muller, Rudy and Scott residences.

Two $50,000 Apartment Houses.

The project of the Shadyside Land Company to build a costly apartment house on the old Hoover property near the intersection of Center avenue and Cypress street has been revived and now promises to be carried out this summer. New plans for the apartments have been drawn by Architect Sims, which will receive bids on the work in a few days. The site is 140x175 feet and the apartments will be three stories high. Instead of having only one building, as originally intended, the present plans call for two structures, which will cost $50,000 each. These will contain 36 flats of five and six rooms. The location is almost directly opposite the Emma Alsop property in Center avenue and offers a fine view.

Architects Struthers & Hannan have let the contract to Harvey McHenry of East Liverpool, O., for the erection of the Peoples Nations' bank building at Wellsville, O., to cost $40,000.

Bids are being taken in the office of Architect James T. Steen for the residence of Nicholas Snyder in Shady avenue, opposite Wilkins avenue, to cost about $20,000.

New Company Plans Improvements.

The Metropolitan Trust Company, which expects its charter this week, has decided to remodel the building in Liberty avenue, Bloomfield, now occupied by the State Bank of Pittsburgh. The company is made up of the officers of the Metropolitan Bank of Lawrenceville and bought the property a short time ago. The improvements include a marble front and a new interior.

Ingleside: The Union Realty sold to Walter Armitage lots 25 and 56 in the Ingleside plan, Fifteenth ward, fronting 41 feet on Graham street, for about $40 a front foot, and to John Donald lots 21 and 22 in Broad street, in the same plan, for a similar price.

Duncan avenue: The Allhouse Company, Limited, sold to George T. Hill an improved property 30x62.5 feet in Duncan avenue for $1,650.

Frankstown avenue: Joseph C. Boyd sold to William H. Rickenbach an improved lot 30x100 feet on the north side of Frankstown avenue, near Inwood street, Twenty-first ward, for $6,200.

Overhill street: David M. Barnett sold to Mary J. Hays an improved lot 22 x84 feet in Overhill street, Eleventh ward, for $6,000.

Deals in Small Properties.

Ridge street: Robert T. Reineman sold to Bernhard Schroers an improved lot 62x88 feet on the north side of Ridge street, Thirteenth ward, for $820.

Stanton avenue: James Messer sold to Charlotte Breitenbach an improved lot 24x112 feet on the north side of Stanton avenue, near Meadowcroft avenue, Eighteenth ward, for $800.

Beltzhoover avenue: Peter V. Daniels sold to William S. Pierce an improved lot 25x106 feet in Beltzhoover avenue, Thirty-first ward, for $4,200.

Wicklow street: Frank A. Smith sold to Rose McCabe an improved lot 20x100 feet on the west side of Wicklow street, near Margaretta street, Nineteenth ward, for $2,500.

The following permits were issued yesterday: To Robinson, Bruckman & McClelland, for three three-story brick apartment houses of 36 rooms each, in Bennett street, near Braddock avenue, to cost $50,000; to Rebecca H. Berger, for a two-story brick dwelling and store dwelling of 15 rooms, in Maple terrace, to cost $40,000; to George C. Wilson for four two-story brick dwellings in Atlantic avenue, near Friendship, to cost $32,000.

Transfers Recorded.

Woodside M M to D S Leggett, April 15, 3d ward, Allegheny, 41x120, Knoll st. $12,000

Fisherman C to F Mayers, April 21st ward, Pittsburgh, 20x100, Joseph st. 2,800

Thompson Scott to M H Logan, April 18, O'Hara twp, 75x188, First st... 6,000

Park J H to W McCracken, Jan 31, East McKeesport, 52x115, Broadway. 1,500

Stein M to F W Ries, April 20, Lower St Clair twp, 20x130, Charles st..... 1,350

Ries P W to A Tietjen, April 15, Lower St Clair twp, 60x125, Charles st..... 1,425

Haynes W S to Peter Noonan, Feb 9, 23d ward, Pittsburgh, 19x50, Ladora st. 1,836

Knoxville Land Impr. Co. to W P Breedin, April 2, Knoxville, 253x100, Arabella st. 4,250

Fox John T to I L Aronson, April 5, 11th ward, Pittsburgh, 20x94, Davis st. 2,975

Norris N to F Isabell, April 7, 21st ward, Pittsburgh, 25x109, Park ave... 2,350

Markell F E to Andrew D Robb, April 14, Wilmerding, 89x114, Westinghouse ave. 11,877

Mc3d Home Co to Peter Avetta, March 19, Knoxville, 37x100, S. Charles st. 5,700

Walker May G to J H Fisher, April 15, 23d ward, Pittsburgh, 75x70, Shields ave. 8,500

Walker May G to J H Fisher, April 15, 14th ward, Pittsburgh, 25x100, Robinson st. 6,500

Kettenbach J J to Louis Burk, April 15, Ross twp, 26 perches on Perry... 3,500

George W D to M M Veeder, April 4, 22d ward, Pittsburgh, 70x150, Bennington ave. 4,550

Smith William S to Scott Thompson, January 4, O'Hara twp, 75x188, First st. 6,000

Schroyer W F to H D Summers, March 15, Twelfth ward, 20x100, Sarah st... 7,000

McEwen, George S to R K McEwen, March 25, Upper St Clair twp, 83 acres. 2,600

Hornberger E A to W F Bingler, Jan 15, 23d ward, Pittsburgh, 39x116, Hazelwood ave. 1,450

Bryant Kate R to John H Friday, trustee, March 24, 29th ward, Pittsburgh, 40x100, Cypress st. 1,000

White J C to James Dunn, July 5, 7th ward, McKeesport, 30x120, Manor ave 4,200

George William D to Charles D Marshall, April 4, 22d ward, Pittsburgh, 40x100, Bennington ave. 3,000

Same to Eliza A. Marshall, April 4, 22d ward, Pittsburgh, 70x150, Lennington ave. 4,550

McMaster I C to J C Miller, April 1, Avalon, 27x108, Chestnut st. 3,800

Mountz G J to R A MacCollum, April 15, Pitcairn, 50x100, Third st. 3,100

Wursel John to Frank Fortunato, January 5, 21st ward, Pittsburgh, 22x120, Lardner ave. 3,000

Smallwood J A to R M Jones, March 1, 37th ward, Pittsburgh, 20x100, Oakwood st. 5,000

Security Investment Co. to E E Keller, April 2, 21st ward, Pittsburgh, 100x150, Mead st. 1,500

Stone William A to Harry E McLain, April 13, 16th ward, Pittsburgh, 130x100, Homer st. 32,000

Shaw Belle to O E Handley, April 15, McKees Rocks, 24x100, Grove st. 2,350

Wolfe J N to A M Myers, Feb 5, 10th ward, Allegheny, 33x130, Perrysville ave. 4,700

Saier F A to A Schwartz, January 26, Spring Garden, 16x94, Spring Garden ave 3,900

Martin Joseph to George P. Schmidt, March 1, 3rd ward, Allegheny, 40x116, Ohio st. 7,000

Barnes W S to R R Glasgow, June 10, N Braddock, 16 lots, E Pgh. and Braddock place 8,000

Lange Anna M (guar E Ethsier, March 14, 15th ward) Pittsburgh, 28x111, Euclid ave. 5,450

Kirk William to E E Whitten, Feb 23, 22d ward, Pittsburgh, 33x120, East End ave. 1,850

Vogel John to S Foster, March 14, Esplen, 40x125, Orchard st. 3,000

Cuthbert E P to W X Williams, April 18, Munhall, 2 lots, Thirteenth ave. 1,500

Minteer W A to C E Skinner, April 14, Wilkinsburg, 40x130, Ash st. 9,000

Saldman E D to S H Thompson, April 18, Wilkinsburg, 2 lots, Dresden st. 7,000

Hays W S B. to J P Moersch, April 5, Rankin, 40x80, Fleet st. 2,100

Boss F to James Seeds, Feb 26, 35th ward, Pittsburgh, 25x27, Meridan st. 1,300

LIVE STOCK MARKETS

PITTSBURGH UNION STOCK YARDS.

Thursday, April 21, 1904.

Cattle—Supply light; market steady; choice, 1,400 to 1,600 lbs, $5 35@5 50; prime, 1,300 to 1,400 lbs, $5 00@5 25; good, 1,200 to 1,300 lbs, $4 75@4 90; tidy, 1,050 to 1,150 lbs, $4 00@4 25; fair, 900 to 1,000 lbs, $3 60@3 75; common, 700 to 900 lbs, $3 00@3 75; roughs, 1,000 to 1,100 lbs, $3 80@4 15; heifers, 700 to 1,100 lbs, $3 00@4 25; common to good fat cows, $1 00@3 75; common to good cat bulls, $2 00@4 00; good to choice springers, $40 00@50 00; common to fair, $20 00@35 00.

Sheep and lambs—Supply light and market active; prices 10c higher; prime wethers, $5 to 100 lbs, $5 00@5 10; good mixed, $4 90@5 00; fair, $4 00@4 85; fair mixed, 75 to 80 lbs, $4 20@4 50; common, $2 50@3 50; choice lambs, $6 00@6 10; fair to good, $5 40@5 90; spring lambs, $6@6 10; veal calves, $5 00@5 50; heavy and thin, $5 50@4 50.

Hogs—Receipts 8 doubles decks; market steady; prime heavy, $5 50@5 55; medium, $5 55@5 60; heavy Yorkers, $5 50@5 55; light Yorkers, $5 30@5 40; pigs, $4 20@5 10; roughs, $3 50@4 75.

[By Associated Press to The Gazette.]

NEW YORK, April 21.—Beeves—No trading today; dressed beef steady at 6½@8½c lb for native sides; no exports. Calves—Receipts, 1,215 head; market slow and barely steady; common to fair veals, $4 50@6 50; choice, $7 00@7 50 lbs; a few choice at $8 @5 50; little calves at $3 00. City dressed veals slow at 6½@9½c per lb; few choice at 10c. Sheep and lambs—Receipts, 5,200 head; sheep steady; lambs trade rather slow except for choice clipped lambs; a few unshort sheep sold at $4 50 per 100 lbs; clipped do at $5 00; common to prime unshorn lambs at $6 75@7 50; common to choice clipped do at $6 75@7 00. Hogs—Receipts, 1,200; steady at 8@10c per lb; dressed lambs at 11@12c; dressed spring lambs at $3 00@6 00 per carcass. Hogs—Receipts, 1,538 head; market firm to 5c higher; prime state hogs sold at $5 85.

KANSAS CITY, April 21.—Cattle—Receipts 5,000 head, including 100 head of southerns; best steers strong; others slow and weak; export and dressed beef steers, $4 75@5 25; fair to good, $4 00@4 60; western fed steers, $3 60@4 75; stockers and feeders, $3 25@4 60; southern steers, $3 00@4 00; southern cows, $2 00@3 50; native cows, $2 00@4 25; native heifers, $3 50@4 60; bulls, $2 00@3 80; calves, $2 75@6 00. Hogs—Receipts, 9,000 head; market 5@10c lower; top, $5 40; bulk of sales, $5 00@5 30; heavy, $4 85@4 95; packers, $4 80@4 90; pigs and light, $4 25@4 92½. Sheep—Receipts, 1,000 head; market strong; native lambs, $5 50@6 35; western do, $5 50@6 50; fed ewes, $4 75@5 40; yearlings, $5 00@5 80; stockers and feeders, $3 50@4 50.

CHICAGO, April 21.—Cattle—Receipts, 7,000 head; market fairly active and weak; good to prime steers, $5 00@5 50; poor to medium, $3 90@5 00; stockers and feeders, $3 00@4 50; cows, $2 75@4 40; heifers, $2 25@4 75; canners, $1 75@2 50; bulls, $2 25@4 10; calves, $2 00@5 10; Texas fed steers, $3 25@4 10. Sheep—Receipts today, 24,000 head; tomorrow, 15,000 head; market 5c to 10c lower; close steady; mixed and butchers, $5 00@5 25; good to choice heavy, $5 10@5 25; poor to medium, $4 75@5 05; light $4 80@5 05; bulk of sales, $5 00@5 10. Sheep—Receipts, 12,000 head; market steady to weak; lambs steady; good to choice wethers, $4 75@5 45; fair to good mixed, $3 75@4 60; native lambs, $4 50@5 50.

LOCAL FLOUR PRICES ARE REDUCED AGAIN

Good Demand for Maple Syrup. Produce Trade Following General Reductions This Week.

Although wheat closed higher yesterday than on Wednesday, a reduction was made in local flour quotations in the afternoon. The change was made because of conditions independent of outside markets. Fancy spring is now selling at $5 30 and $5 35. This was the only change in groceries yesterday, though jobbers report an increased demand for maple syrup, which is now quoted at 90 cents and $1 a gallon. General trade was fair, though lighter than that of the three days of the week.

There was no change in potatoes, arrivals being light and local demand as good as ever. Strawberries of outside origin are in good quantities and, according to dealers, the supply is ample. Onions are wanted and reductions in other articles Wednesday resulted in more active trade. Cabbage is selling better as the recent reduction. Good apples are bringing as high as $3 50 a barrel. Tropical fruits picked up yesterday after having been dull several days because of outside conditions. Eggs were firm. Demand for meats was very satisfactory. Oats are weak and very little business is reported either in rye or straw. Country rolls trade is quiet, but more hay is arriving. The market here has not been affected, however, by the heavy receipts; prices are as high as they were last week.

HAY, GRAIN AND FEED.

Receipts bulletined: Pennsylvania lines, 38 cars hay, 16 cars oats, 5 cars corn, 4 cars feed, 1 car rye; Baltimore & Ohio railroad, 15 cars hay, 1 car corn, 1 car oats; Pittsburgh & Lake Erie railroad, 5 cars hay, 1 car rye, 1 car oats.

The following sales were reported yesterday by members of the local grain and flour exchange, dealers charging an advance of $2 a ton on hay and about 5 cents a bushel on grain for less than carload lots: Hay, 5 cars No. 1 timothy at $15 25, 1 car No. 1 clover, mixed, at $13 50, 1 car No. 2 timothy at $14 50, 1 car No. 1 timothy, $14 00, 1 car packing hay at $1 50; 2 cars No. 1 clover, mixed, at $14 25; corn, 1 car No.12 yellow at 49c, 1 car No. 3 yellow, car, at 49½c; oats, 2 cars No. 2 white at 45c, 1 car No. 3 white at 44½c.

Hay, No. 1 timothy...$15.00@15.50
do No. 2 timothy...$13.25@13.75
do clover...$13.00@13.50
No. 1 mix...$13.25@13.75
Loose, from wagon...$15.00@17.00
Straw, car...$9.00@9.50
do wheat...$8.00@8.50
do rye...$13.50@14.00
Oats, No. 2 white...45½@46c
do No. 3...45@45½c
do No. 4...44½@45c
Rye, No. 2...90c
Corn, No. 2 yellow...49@49½c
Mich. ...50@51c
White middlings, No. 2...$22.00
do brown $21.00@21.50
Bran, ton...$20.50@21.00
Wheat, No. 2 red...98c@$1.00
Corn, No. 2 yellow shelled...52@60c
do cut loaf...5.15c
do coff. A...4.50@4.60c
do No. 1 yellow...4.50c
do No. 2 yellow...4.25c
do No. 3 yellow...4.20c

GROCERIES.

Flour.
Fancy spg. pat. ent...$5.30@5.35
Fancy winter pat. ...$4.75@4.80
Straight win.$4.50@4.55
Bakers' spg...$3.25@3.30
Rye...$3.50@4.50
Graham...$4.75@4.80
Cornmeal bbl$3.15@3.25
do 10-lb cotton bags...17@18c
Rolled oats, bbl...$5.45
do kegs...$2.90
Roasted Coffee.
Rio...13@15c
Santos...22@25c
Maracaibo...15¾@16c
Peaberry...17½@18c
Golden Rio...14@14½c
Cat'os...18@18½c
Standard pkgs...$10.35@11.05
High grd $17.80@19.20
Molasses, fancy refined...35@37c
do choice...32@35c
do open kett...28@30c
Fancy syrup...28@30c
Maple, gal...90c@$1.00
Sug. and cane...24@25c
Honey...24@25c
3-lb cans, doz...$1.10
5-lb cans, doz...$1.85
10-lb cans, doz...$3.40
Texas honey...$2.00@3.00
Oatmeal, bbl...$5.85
do kegs...$3.05
Sugar, sta. gran...4.75c
do powdered...4.75c
do 2-lb cartons...4.80c
do 5-lb bags...4.80c
do powdered...4.80c
do pow'd xxxx...4.85c
do cubes...4.80c
do No. 1...4.75c
do No. 2...4.70c
do No. 3...4.65c
do No. 4...4.60c
do No. 5...4.55c
do No. 6...4.50c
do No. 7...4.45c
do No. 8...4.40c
do No. 9...4.35c
do No. 10...4.30c
do No. 11...4.25c
do No. 12...4.20c
do No. 13...4.15c
do No. 14...4.10c
do No. 15...4.05c
do No. 16...4.00c
Soft grades...3.90c
Mixed candy...6@7c
Stick candy...7@8c
Cut loaf...8@9c
Jelly beans...5@6c
Cream mixed...10@12c
Broken candy...6@7c
Cocoanuts, bag...$2.50
Figs, cartons...75@90c
Bananas, bunches...$1.75@2.25
do 2d's...$1.25@1.75

CANNED GOODS.

Peaches, sta. pie...$1.10
do pie, gal...$2.50@3.00
do California, L. C. ...$1.90@2.35
do Mary. land...$1.30@1.65
do California, Y. F. ...$1.80@2.00
Corn, fancy...$1.35@1.75
do std...$1.25@1.40
Cherries, Cal. white...$2.50@2.75
Lima beans...$1.20@1.45
do soaked...75@80c
String beans, 2-lb...70c
do 3-lb...95c
Stringless beans...$1.25@1.75
Peas, marrow-fat...95c@$1.00
do early June...95c@$1.00
do soaked...50@65c
Apples, N. Y. gal. cans...$2.20@2.40
Pineapples...$1.20@2.25
Plums, California...$1.60@1.70
Raspberries...$5.50
Gooseberries...85@90c
Tomatoes, standard...82½@90c
do fancy...$1.15@1.35
do gal...$2.50@2.55
Succotash, 3-lb cans...$1.25@1.40
Baked beans, cans, tomato sc.75c@$1.00
Salmon, doz...95c@$2.00
Chipped beef...$2.25@2.75
Corn and roast beef, 2-lb cans...$2.35@2.40
do 1-lb cans...$1.30@1.35
Mackerel, broiled...$1.90@2.50
Sardines, domestic, ½s...$3.45@3.60
do mustards, ¼s...$2.95
do French...$9.00@15.75

SALT FISH.

Mackerel, No. 1 mess, bbl...$82.00
do half bbl...$16.50
do qr. bbl...$8.50
Mackerel, No. 1 plain, bbl...$26.00
do half bbls...$15.40
do quar. bbls...$8.70
do 10-lb pails...$3.00
do 10-lb pails...$1.45
Mackerel, No. 2 large, bbl...$20.00
do half bbls...$10.40
do quar. bbls...$5.50
do 20-lb pails...$2.20
do 10-lb pails...$1.25
do No. 2 Irish mess...$6.00
Lake herring, 100 lbs...$3.65
do 50-lb...$1.40
do 10-lb...52c

DRIED FRUITS.

Apricots, evap., 10@12c
do 25-lb boxes...10¼@12½c
Apples, bulk...6¼@8½c
do 1-lb cartons...7¼@8c
Peaches...7@10¼c
Raspberries...25@27c
Raisins, seeded, 1-lb pkgs...9½@10c
Raisins, Muscatel, 2 and 4 crown...5¾@6¼c
do Ondaria Val...6¢@7½c
do Cal. Val...7¢@7½c
Currants, cleaned, 25 and 60-lb pkgs...6¾@7c
Prunes...3½@10c
Figs, Cal. ...6@20c
do Turk...12½@14c

SEEDS.

Clover, from store, reclean'd, 90-lb bu small...$6.75@7.00
do mammoth...$6.85@7.10
do crimson...$4.50@4.75
do mixed...$3.65@3.75
Dutch...$10.25@12.00
Alsike...$7.50@7.60
Alfalfa...$8.50@9.00
Millet...$1.85@1.50
Grass, Hungarian...90c@$1.10
do lawn, lb...10@18c
do blue, 14-lb bu...$1.65@1.75
do red top, 14-lb bu...$1.10@1.60
Timothy...$1.45@1.50

PRODUCE.

Potatoes, store...$1.25@1.30
do track...$1.15@1.20
do Bermuda, bbl...$7.50@8.00
do New Orleans bbl...$6.00@6.50
Seed potatoes, early Ohio, bu...$1.50
do Rose, bu...$1.40@1.50
Jersey sweets, boxes...$1.65@1.75
do bbls...$4.00@4.25
do hamper, No. 1...$1.50@1.75
do No. 2...75@$1.00
do mediums...$1.75@2.00
Turnips, bbl...$3.00@3.25
Onions, per crate...$4.00@4.25
do bulk, bu...$1.25@1.40
do Spanish, crate...$1.75@2.00
do Valencia, crate...$4.00@4.25
do Bermuda, crates...$1.50@2.00
do Texas Bermudas...$2.00
do southern, bags...$2.50@2.75
Green onions...25@30c
Onion sets...$5.00@5.50
Cucumbers, hothouse...$1.25@1.30
Green peas, per bu...$2.50@3.00
Cabbage, Danish, ton...$55@60
do lb...4@4½c
do Florida, per crate...$3.25@3.50
do Charleston...$3.25@3.75
do New Orleans...$3.50@4.00
Parsley, doz...40@50c
Radishes, doz...20@30c
Kale, bu...25@30c
Celery, Florida...$1.75@2.00
do doz...85@90c
Dressed suckling pigs, pair...$6.00@7.00
Snappers, per lb...10c

NUTS.

Filberts...11c
Eng. walnuts...11@14c
S. S. almonds...16c
Tarr. almonds...13c
Mixed...11c
Brazil...10c
Dried Italian chestnuts...7c
Shellbarks, bu...$1.75@2.00
Pecans...10c
Walnuts...$1.00@1.25
Butternuts...$1.00
Peanuts, fancy, roasted...$1.50
do choice...$1.05

FRUITS.

Lemons, Messina...$2.50@3.00
do Californian...$2.40@2.50
Limes, per 100...$1.50
Oranges, California, navel...$2.25@2.75
do Florida...$2.75@3.25
Cocoanuts, bags...$2.50
Figs, cartons...75c@90c
Bananas, bunches...$1.75@2.25
do 2ds...$1.25@1.75
Pineapples, crate...$2.25@2.75
Grapes, Almeria...$3.50@6.00
Grape fruit...$5.00@5.50
Apples, fancy, bbl...$3.25@3.50
do choice...$2.00@2.25
Do Missouri, per box...$1.75@2.25
Cranberries, box...$1.75@2.00

PROVISIONS.

Hams, 18 lbs and up...11c
Over 14 to 18 lbs...10¾c
Over 10 to 14 lbs...10¾c
10 lbs and under...10¾c
Skinned...11¾c
Boneless boiled...18c
California...8¾c
Shoulders, N. Y. cut...8c
do skinned...8½c
Ribs, 8 to 10 lbs...11½c
do 10 to 12 lbs...11¼c
do back strips...10¼c
do clears, 8 to 10 lbs...11¾c
do 10 to 12 lbs...11¼c
Breakfast bacon, back strips...10¾c
Dry salt sides, extra short clears...8¼c
Bellies, 20 to 25 lbs...8½c
do 16 to 20 lbs...8¾c
do under 16 lbs...8¾c
Dry salt smoked sides, extra short clears...9¼c
Bellies, 20 to 25 lbs...9¼c
do 16 to 20 lbs...9¾c
do under 16 lbs...9¾c
Lard, pure tierces...7¼c

BUTTER, EGGS AND CHEESE.

Butter.
Prints...20@27c
Tubs...25@26c
Ohio cream...23@24c
Dairy...12½@14¼c
Country roll...13½@14½c
Cheese, N. Y. full cream...10@11c
do Ohio...10@11c
do ¾ crm...10¼@10½c
Cheese, Ohio Swiss...12@12½c
do Twin Swiss tubs...15½@16c
do 20-lb block Swiss...15½@16c
do Imported...27@27½c
do Limburger...13½@14c
do Brickstein...15@15½c
Eggs, candled...19@19½c
do southern...15@18½c

HIDES.

No. 1 green steer, heavy...8c
do light...7c
lbs, and cows, all weights...7c
No. 1 green hulls...6c
Calfskin, No. 1...10c
do No. 2...8c
Green salt or cured No. 1 steers, over 60 lbs...9c
do No. 2...8c
Cows and light No. 1...8c
do No. 2...7c
Calfskin, No. 1...11c

COKE SHIPMENTS GREW DURING THE PAST WEEK

Almost 10,000 Tons More Than Production, Indicating Better Car Supply.

[Special Telegram to The Gazette.]

CONNELLSVILLE, PA., April 21.—Shipments in the coke trade increased 5,000 tons last week and almost 10,000 tons more than production, indicating the car supply is gradually becoming better. The summary for the week shows 19,455 ovens in blast and 3,644 idle. The increase in the active list last week was small. The plants made an average of 71.42 per cent as compared to 5.90 days the week previous. The production in tons for the week was 227,451 as compared to 225,973 tons the previous week, an increase of 1,478 tons. The number of cars shipped was 10,587 cars, as compared to 10,567 the previous week, an increase of 19 cars.

Shipments were distributed as follows: To Pittsburgh and river points, 4,029 cars, an increase of 304 cars; to points west of Pittsburgh, 5,024 cars, a decrease of 428 cars; to points east of Everson, 1,515 cars, an increase of 55 cars. The shipments in tons amounted to 253,158, as compared to 251,691 tons the previous week, a decrease of 423 tons. The Masontown field, however, came to the front with shipments of 1,623 cars, as compared to 1,005 cars the previous week, an increase of 118 cars.

Coffee and Sugar.

NEW YORK, April 21.—The market for coffee futures opened steady at a decline of 5@10 points in sympathy with rather lower European cables than expected and continued full primary receipts. There was considerable liquidation apparently, but trade interests were buying, particularly the near positions, and prices held around the opening figures, closing steady net 5@10 points lower. Sales, including about 10,000 bags, switched from the near to later positions, were reported at 56,000 bags, including April at 5.40c, May, 5.55@5.60c; September, 6.40@6.50c; October, 6.55c; December, 6.70c; January, 6.80c; March, 6.95c. Sugar, raw steady; fair refining, 3 1-16@3¼c; centrifugal, 96 test, 3 9-16c; molasses sugar, 2 15-16@2½c; refined quiet; crushed, 5.40c; powdered, 5.05c; granulated, 4.70c; molasses steady; New Orleans, 31@37c.

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WHEAT CLOSED FIRM IN CHICAGO GRAIN MARKET

Leading Feature Throughout the Day Was the Strength in the Northwest.

[By Associated Press to The Gazette.]

CHICAGO, April 21.—Paucity of receipts northwest and persistent reports of damage southwest caused a firm close here today in wheat. Compared with last night July wheat is ⅝@⅞c higher. Corn is up ⅝c. Oats are off ⅛@¼c. Provisions show a gain of 7½@15c.

Under the influence of decreased receipts in the northwest wheat opened firm, the July delivery being a shade to ⅜@¼c higher at 85@85¼c. A leading factor throughout the early trading was the strength of the northwestern markets. As the session advanced bearish action of the corn market became a powerful influence. There was also enough crop news of conflicting kinds to keep traders guessing. In consequence the wheat pit became extremely nervous. Trading was more active than had been experienced in some time past. Commission houses reported more outside buying orders than for several weeks. Houses with northwestern connections were persistent buyers on crop damage news from the southwest. A little improvement was noted in cash inquiry and in the export business. Minneapolis reported good prospects for large flour sales. Weather conditions showed material improvement and reports from the northwest were received telling of fair progress in seeding. On a late decline in corn there was some realizing in wheat which resulted in July selling down to 84½c; but subsequent covering by shorts worked the price up to 85¾c. The market closed firm with July at 85¾c. May sold between 89¼c and 89¾c and closed at 89½c. Clearances of wheat and flour were equal to 157,160 bushels. Primary receipts were 184,000 bushels, against 268,000 bushels a year ago. Minneapolis, Duluth and Chicago reported receipts of 104 cars, compared with 137 cars last week and 141 cars a year ago.

In the absence of selling pressure from any quarter the corn market ruled firm early in the day. Later there was a fair demand for May from the big holder, which sent the price of that delivery up 1¼c. On the advance there was a good deal of profit taking and before the flurry ceased May had lost nearly all the earlier gain. Within the last few minutes of trading a partial recovery was made on a renewal of strength in wheat, and the close was about steady. July opened a shade to ¼@¾c higher at 48⅞@49c; sold between 48¾@48½c, and 49½c, and closed at 48¾c. May ranged between 48¾c and 50¼c, and closed at 49¼c, a net gain of ⅝c. Local receipts were 131 cars, with 41 cars of contract grade. The feature in trading in oats was the selling of the September delivery by pit traders due to improved weather conditions and to reports of good progress being made in seeding operations. The market was influenced to a considerable extent by the action of other grains. The close was easier. After opening ¼@¾c lower at 36¾@36⅝c, July ranged between 36½c and 37⅛@37¼c, and closed at the bottom. Local receipts were 54 cars.

Provisions were easier at the start owing to weakness in the hog market, but there was an unusually good demand for all products and a firm tone soon developed. In spite of liberal selling prices were well maintained, the close being firm, with July pork 15c higher at $12 32½; July lard was up 7½c at $6 75, and ribs also gained 7½c, closing at $6 55.

The leading futures reported by John D. Armstrong & Co., members of the Chicago board of trade, Farmers' Bank building, are as follows:

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.	Yesterday's Close.
WHEAT					
No. 2.					
May ..	89¼	89½	89¼	89½	89¼
July ..	86⅞	87	86¾	86¾	86⅝
July, n	85¼	85⅜	84⅞	85⅛	85
Sept. o	82⅜	83	82¼	82⅝	82¼
Sept. n	81¼	81⅝	81⅛	81⅝	81½
CORN					
No. 2.					
May ..	49	50½	48⅝	49¼	48⅝
July ..	49	49½	48½	48⅝	48⅜
Sept ..	48¾	49¼	48¾	48⅝	48⅝
OATS					
No. 2.					
May ..	37¼	37⅝	37	37	37¼
July ..	29½	37⅛	36½	36⅝	37
Sept ..	31½	31½	30⅝	30⅝	31⅜
MESS PORK					
May ..	11 90	12 10	11 85	12 10	11 92½
July ..	12 15	12 32½	12 12½	12 32½	12 17½
LARD.					
May ..	6 47½	6 60	6 47½	6 57½	6 50
July ..	6 65	6 75	6 65	6 75	6 67½
Sept ..	6 80	6 85	6 80	6 85	6 80

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The Three Rivers

[Special Telegram to The Gazette.]

CINCINNATI, April 21.—The stage of the river at 6 o'clock this evening marked 17.6 feet and falling, making a fall of .6 during the past 24 hours. Weather clear and pleasant, growing warmer. Local packets were in and out on time, including the Keystone State for Pittsburgh. Business for the packets is brisk. There were no towboat movements here today. Capt. Samuel Fearn, inspector of hulls for this district, was reported to be much better today. Negotiations are pending for the sale of the packet Indiana of the Louisville line. If the sale is consummated the boat will be used out of St. Louis during the exposition. The Island Queen will arrive tomorrow from a trip to the lower river. Capt. Lee Brooks, president of the Coney

DECIDES AGAINST THE WAR VETERANS

Attorney General Carson Declares They Have No Voice in Selection of Monuments.

JUDGES SALARY CASE MOTION

THE PITTSBURGH GAZETTE BUREAU, HARRISBURG, PA., April 21.

Civil war veterans of this state have no voice in the selection of designs or the making of contracts for monuments on certain southern battlefields. Attorney General Carson so decides in an opinion today addressed to G. A. Reif of Pottsville, secretary of the Survivors association of the Forty-eighth regiment, Pennsylvania Veteran volunteers. Mr. Carson holds that the commission appointed by Gov. Pennypacker is endowed with powers to make contracts for and erect monuments and that the several survivors' associations are recognized only for the purpose of consultation on the designs, place of location and other preliminary matters.

This commission, which consists of O. C. Bosbyshell and William J. Bolton of Philadelphia and J. S. Hawley of Media, was appointed under an act passed by the last legislature appropriating $32,500 for the purchase of sites and the erection of monuments or tablets on the battlefield of Andietam to mark the positions occupied by the Thirteenth Pennsylvania organizations. Some of these survivors' associations insist that they should have the right to select the design and make the contract for their monuments and refused to be bound by the decision of the commission, which awarded the contract for all the markers to a Boston firm without competition. The dispute was finally submitted to the attorney general, whose decision is expected to end the controversy.

Attorney General Carson filed a motion in the Dauphin county court today asking that the bill in equity of James W. A. Newlin of Philadelphia, to stop payment of the increased salaries under the judicial salary act of 1903, be dismissed for the want of jurisdiction. Mr. Carson is acting in this matter for himself and John G. Johnson of Philadelphia, counsel for Judges Bell and Von Moschzisker, who recently issued a mandamus directing State Treasurer Harris to allow all judges in the state the added pay.

The attorney general and state treasurer are now working together in the judges salary case. Lyman D. Gilbert, attorney for Harris, will file a similar paper after which the court will set a day for argument. Should the lower court grant the motion, it is expected Mr. Newlin will take an appeal to the supreme court, in order that the question of the constitutionality of the act may be settled.

VOTES FOR HOME RULE.

Nationalist Convention Unanimously Disapproves of Budget Introduced in Parliament.

DUBLIN, April 21.—(Special Cable.)—The annual national convention at the Mansion house today excited much enthusiasm. John Redmond, who presided, said the Unionist government and party were in a condemned cell, waiting for the execution of the sentence which had been pronounced on them and in all human probability it was reserved for the representatives of Ireland to give the final blow which would end their existence. They had denied home rule, had broken their pledges and had introduced a budget which would impose an additional burden of $2,750,000 yearly on Ireland. The question of home rule was again becoming a decided factor in English elections, and when the dissolution of parliament came it would be found to be a deciding factor as to what government should rule the empire.

The convention adopted a resolution in favor of home rule and expressing confidence in the Irish members of parliament. A message from the United Irish league of America was received with much enthusiasm.

ORCHARDS IN DANGER.

San Jose Scale Threatens Big Industry Throughout State of Pennsylvania.

HARRISBURG, PA., April 21.—(Special.)—"The question how long Pennsylvania will retain the position as a fruit producing state, if this pest be permitted to go unchecked for another year," said State Economic Zoologist Surface on his return here today from treating the trees on Gov. Pennypacker's farm at Schwenksville for the San Jose scale.

"In over 30 counties of this state," continued Dr. Surface, "the scale is destroying the apple trees to such an extent that I can show many orchards in which all the trees, both old and young, are dead. The counties which have been most affected by the scale are Erie, Mercer, Blair, Franklin, Centre, Adams, York, Lancaster, Berks, Lebanon, Chester, Montgomery and Monroe."

Dr. Surface said that the best that can be done by the state is for the officials of the department of agriculture to aid in an educational and practical crusade, instructing the orchardist in the methods of detecting the presence, the inevitable results if not treated, and the methods of suppressing it.

MILLIONAIRE CHARGED WITH GRAND LARCENY

CHICAGO, April 21.—(Special.)—Capt. John H. Healy, millionaire capitalist, miner and former during explorer in Alaska and the Northern Bay region, was arrested in Chicago today on a charge of grand larceny. It was from New York that the police received a message asking that Captain Healy be taken into custody. He attributes his arrest to spite. It was the result of a business transaction in which Capt. Healy purchased property for a song in excess of that authorized by the directors of the Exploration Company.

To Form Plans For Tent Campaign.

Definite plans and schedules will be formulated for the proposed summer tent campaign by the Evangelistic committee at the Central Y. M. C. A. building next Monday morning at 10 o'clock. It has been decided to abandon the project of holding meetings in the parks and the campaign will be confined strictly to tent and outdoor meetings of a union nature in the most thickly settled portions of the city. All the county will be included in the movement.

Hunt to Return to Porto Rico.

WASHINGTON, April 21.—Gov. William R. Hunt of Porto Rico had another conference with the president today regarding affairs on the island. The governor has decided to return to San Juan and Montinue as the chief executive of the Porto Rican government until the end of the present fiscal year, June 30. He will not qualify, therefore, as United States district judge of Montana in succession of Judge Hiram Knowles, until sometime after that date.

Double Wedding Next Week.

NEW CASTLE, PA., April 21.—(Special.)—A double wedding will take place here next Tuesday evening at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. John Bowman of East Reynolds street, when their two daughters, the Misses Olive and Mary Bowman, will be married to Harry A. Grummy and Lewis G. Thompson of Saxonburg, Butler county. The ceremony will be performed by the Rev. J. C. Kerland, pastor of the Grace Methodist church of this city. Mr. and Mrs. Thompson will reside in West Virginia, and Mr. and Mrs. Grummy at Saxonburg.

Recommended for Postmasters.

WASHINGTON, April 21.—(Special.)—Representative Smith of Punxsutawney has recommended the appointment of Samuel W. Rupert as postmaster at West Freedom and John W. Confer as postmaster at Cheerful, both in Clarion county, Pa.

Toronto Fire Loss $13,000,000.

TORONTO, April 21.—The loss by the fire of Tuesday night is growing. The total loss is estimated by insurance experts it is now said, will reach at least $13,000,000. The losses of the insurance companies approximates $8,885,000

KATE CLAXTON'S SON ENDS HIS LIFE: ACTRESS SWOONS

The Only Child of Popular Player Kills Himself With Bullet from Revolver—Ill Health Said to Be the Cause.

[BY PRIVATE WIRE TO THE GAZETTE.]

NEW YORK, April 21.—Harold Stevenson, son of Kate Claxton, the actress, and of Charles A. Stevenson, leading man with Mrs. Leslie Carter, shot and killed himself this afternoon in his bachelor apartments at 255 Fourth avenue.

Mrs. Stevenson (Kate Claxton) is now with her company in Cincinnati. It was known among her friends that her whole life was wrapped up in her son, who was 21 years old, and who, because of a slight physical infirmity, had been unable to support himself.

Acquaintances of the young man in the apartments said that he had had a love affair of some kind, and had been disappointed. They thought he had been brooding over this, as well as over his illness.

CINCINNATI, O., April 21.—(Special.)—Miss Kate Claxton was just about to step on the stage for the matinee performance of the "Two Orphans" at the Robinson opera house this afternoon when her brother, Spencer Cone, brought her the message telling of her son's suicide in New York.

Miss Claxton was completely overcome and fell to a couch in her dressing room. As soon as she could change her clothes she was driven to her hotel and from there took the 4 o'clock train for New York. Miss Claxton was too much affected by the blow to say anything about the cause of the suicide. Her brother said that she had had fallen on the ice about four years ago striking on his head, which caused a large lump to appear and for some time he was quite ill. Although he eventually regained his health, his whole nature seemed to change and he became morose and timid. Last winter he had a severe attack of grip and this may have affected him further. Mr. Cone said he knew of no love affair.

INTERNATIONAL STEEL MEN ARE CONFERRING

U. S. Steel Officials Say There Is No Sign of Agreement on Export Prices.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS CABLE TO THE GAZETTE.]

LONDON, April 21.—Even the most sanguine do not expect immediate results from the exchange of views now in progress here, between representatives of steel manufacturers of the United States, Germany, Great Britain, Russia-Hungary and Belgium, with the object of establishing a uniform system of selling in the United Kingdom, by which the Britishers who are equally interested as producers and consumers of steel in turning out the more highly finished class of goods, and who profit from the dumping.

Inquiries made at the Morgan banking house elicited a statement that J. Pierpont Morgan has gone to Paris and has not taken any part in the steel conference. It was added that so far as the Morgans knew there was no important movement looking to uniform export prices.

At the offices of the United States Steel Corporation it was said that an arrangement of schedules between the manufacturers of various countries had long been discussed, but they did not show any signs of reaching a settlement.

While it is not denied that leading steel magnates have been meeting here, it is said that nothing thus far has resulted, and that the issues talked over are not sweeping, as reported.

TO CONTROL WHOLESALE GROCERY BUSINESS

Standard Oil Company Opens Campaign Throughout Country for New Combine.

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE GAZETTE.]

COLUMBUS, April 21.—The Standard Oil Company began a campaign today to control the wholesale grocery business throughout the nation with as tight a grip as it now controls the railways and coal, steel and iron business of the country.

Oil magnates have acquired a controlling interest in the Eldridge & Higgins Company of Columbus, which recently purchased wholesale groceries in Cleveland, Dayton, Hillsboro, Jackson, Washington Court House and Marietta. The buying out processes are to go on until the business of Ohio is under complete control.

What is in progress in Ohio is now said to be going on also in New York, Pennsylvania, West Virginia, Michigan, Indiana, Illinois and other states, and the movement is to expand, it is said, until the Standard Oil Company will dominate all the necessaries of life in all the states of the union.

WANTS POSITION HELD BY MURDERED BROTHER

DOYLESTOWN, PA., April 21.—(Special.)—The Rev. R. M. Labaree, pastor of the Presbyterian church here, has offered his services to the Presbyterian board of foreign missions to fill the position in Persia held by his brother, the Rev. Benjamin Labaree, who was assassinated several weeks ago. Should his services be accepted he will leave to preach to the Persians in about two months. His father is stationed in Persia as a missionary.

CHESTER D. POTTER.

LINEMAN IN PHILADELPHIA IN LINE FOR CARNEGIE MEDAL

PHILADELPHIA, April 21.—(Special.)—Clarence D. Mercer, a lineman, risked his life yesterday to bring down from an electric light pole the body of a fellow worker who had been shocked into insensibility. He made the descent with the body in his arms, by means of the big spurs on his heels. Friends and fellow workmen will present his name for Carnegie's hero fund.

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RIVER AND HARBOR BILL PASSED BY THE SENATE

Pension Measure Appropriating $137,000,000 Also Goes Through.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS TO THE GAZETTE.]

WASHINGTON, April 21.—The pension bill carrying an appropriation of over $137,000,000 and the emergency river and harbor appropriation bill which carries $3,000,000 were passed today by the senate, leaving only the general deficiency and the military academy bills of the entire list of supply measures still to be considered by the senate.

Speeches were made on the pension bill by Messrs. McCumber and Scott. The latter expressed regret that Mr. McCumber had felt called on to defend the pension system. The man who, like Senator Nelson or Senator Allison, had taken his knapsack on his back, deserved the gratitude of his country. "It makes no difference whether deficiency is $4,000,000 or $400,000,000 I am for the soldier and his widow and children and if I could do so by a vote of mine I would pay a pension of $25 a month to every soldier, whatever his term of service and whether he was rich or poor."

He advocated a general revision of the pension laws, saying they now stood between the soldier and his just rights.

VATICAN EXHIBITS NAMED.

Father Ehrle, the Pontiff's Librarian, Has Announced the Selection.

ROME, April 21.—(Special Cable.)—The Vatican exhibits for the St. Louis exposition, chosen by Father Ehrle, Vatican librarian, contain 24 large mosaics manufactured in the Studio del Mosaico, in St. Peter's, which may be sold; a collection of photographs showing views of the vatican, some of the most precious volumes from the Codex library, including those concerning America in the thirteenth century and Greenland in the fifteenth century, and relating to the division of America between Spain and Portugal by Alexander VI., a death mask and model of the hand of Pope Leo taken according to tradition, the day after his death; selected papers from the papal letter books dating from the twelfth to the fifteenth centuries and containing the most important documents written by each pope, and several editions of the poems of the late Pope Leo.

HELPED BY CLUBMEN.

Members of Philadelphia Union League Pay Cost of Appeal for Mrs. Danz.

PHILADELPHIA, April 21.—(Special.)—Through the generosity of members of the Union league, counsel for Mrs. Catherine Danz, convicted of murdering her husband, will be enabled to carry the fight for her life through to the court of last resort.

Henry Scott, her attorney, was ready and willing to give his services, but he did not feel that he could afford to pay the cost of an appeal, which will amount to $1,500. When the financial difficulty became known to members of the Union league, friends of Mr. Scott went to him and offered to contribute to a fund for the woman's defense.

This generous offer was entirely unexpected by Mr. Scott. Knowing there was no money to pay for the appeal he had gone to work preparing his motion for a new trial, and had progressed so far that when the tender of the money was made the papers were almost ready. They were finished late on Wednesday and filed with the court.

CHESTER D. POTTER.

PANAMA CANAL BILL PASSED THE HOUSE

WASHINGTON, April 21.—The house today gave evidence of approaching adjournment by passing a large number of bills, among them being one to provide a temporary government for the Panama canal zone.

LAST DOCUMENT OF BARON TOLL

Interesting Diary of Arctic Explorer Who Has Not Been Heard from Since 1902.

THE ASTRONOMER'S SURVEY

[ASSOCIATED PRESS CABLE TO THE GAZETTE.]

ST. PETERSBURG, April 21.—The last document left by Baron Toll, the Arctic explorer from whom nothing had been heard directly since he left the yacht Zaria in 1902 and started for Bennett island and who is reported to have perished in the Arctic ocean, has been found by Lieut. Kolchak. It is dated at Paul Keppan bay, Bennett Island, November 11, 1902, and is as follows:

"As accompanied by Astronomer Seeberge and two traders, I left the winter quarters of the Zaria in Nirpich bay on June 7. We proceeded by the northern shore of Kotelnyi, and Thaddus islands to Cape Wysoki and on July 13 we headed for Bennett island. The ice was rather broken on July 25, and we prepared to take to 'baydars' (native boats). Here we killed the last of our dogs. The ice floe on which we camped carried us in four and a half days 48 miles on our course, but bearing off, we left it on July 31, crossing the remaining 25 miles to Bennett island on the 'baydars,' landing on August 3, at Cape Emma."

The documents include the result of Astronomer Seeberge's survey of Bennett islands, by which it is shown to be an offshoot of the Central Asian Plateau. It is composed of the oldest Cambrian strata, broken by outflows of basalt, which cover brown coal measures. The remains of coniferous vegetation and the bones of mammoths and other quaternary animals, bared by the action of the water, were seen in the valleys. In addition to white bear and walrus the party found a herd of thirty reindeer, on the flesh of which they lived and out of the skin of which they made indispensable garments, and foot gear for the wintry voyage back.

The document describes a number of spies of gulls which were seen. Eagles, falcons and flocks of geese were also observed. The document in conclusion says: "During the fog we could not see the land whence the birds came nor distinguish Sannikoff land. We are leaving a number of recording photographic instruments and start today for the south, provisioned for from 14 to 20 days. All are well. We are in 76 degrees, 38 minutes north; 140 degrees 42 minutes east."

TO IMPROVE RIVERVIEW.

Allegheny Common Council Votes to Engage Expert Landscape Gardener.

Allegheny common council last night passed finally the ordinance providing for the employment of an expert landscape gardener to improve the grounds surrounding the new observatory in Riverview park. The work will be commenced at once.

The measure authorizing the mayor and public works director to advertise for bids for the collection and disposal of garbage for four years also passed finally.

City Solicitor Stephen G. Porter gave as his opinion that no change could be made in the ordinance governing the lease of stalls in the market house, as the present leases are for 10 years, and the ordinance requiring all sub-leases to be approved by resolution of councils was defeated. Several ordinances establishing or changing grades of streets were passed finally.

Puddling Rate May Be Increased.

YOUNGSTOWN, O., April 21.—(Special.)—The next bimonthly settlement of the bar iron scale, which will come about May 10, will probably result in an increase in the puddling rate from $5 to $5 25 a ton. The base today is 1.2 cents. The selling price of bar iron for January and February. From March 1 bar iron has been 1.3 cents. This will affect 25,000 men for the coming two months.

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Why is it that the firstborn child is so often the healthiest of a family of children? The reason seems to suggest itself. As child follows child the mother has less and less vitality; often not enough for herself and none, therefore, for her child.

Expectant mothers who use Doctor Pierce's Favorite Prescription find that it keeps them in vigorous health. They eat well, sleep well and are not nervous. When baby comes its advent is practically painless, and the mother is made happy by the birth of a healthy child. If you would be a healthy mother of healthy children use "Favorite Prescription."

"I will be very glad to say a few words for Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription," writes Mrs. P. S. Douglas, of Manasquiville, Brome Co., Quebec. "During the first four months, when I looked forward to becoming a mother, I suffered very much from nausea and vomiting, and I felt so terribly sick I could scarcely eat or drink anything. I hated all kinds of food. At this time I wrote to Dr. Pierce, and he told me to get his 'Favorite Prescription' and a bottle of 'Golden Medical Discovery.' I got a bottle of each, and when I had taken them a few days, I felt much better, and when I had taken hardly three parts of each bottle I felt well and could eat as well as any one, and could do my work without any trouble (I could not do anything before). I feel very thankful to Dr. Pierce for his medicine, and I tell all who tell me they are sick, to get these medicines, or write to Dr. Pierce."

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THE PEOPLE'S STORE

Stirring Dress Goods Bargains

52 in. Black Mohairs—very lustrous, silky finish—firm and strong weave, not the usual flimsy stuff sold at the Friday price—regular 75c grade, for..... 49c

All-wool Black Tricot Cloth—in a good black—excellent wearing material for ladies' everyday dresses and children's wear—regular 30c grade, today for..... 19c

50c Crepe Albatross—2,000 yd. lot—a most fashionable fabric — in pink, light blue, gray, cream, tan, champagne, reseda, nile, old rose, navy, royal, black, etc.—reduced from 50c a yard today to..... 29c

Black Cambric — very best quality—kid finish—just 10 yards to a customer—regular 6¼c quality today for..... 2½c

A Strong Quartet of Silks

36-inch black Taffeta Silk—good strongly woven quality and all pure silk, not linen nor cotton mixed—a most excellent lining silk—regular 75c grade today at..... 49c

Black Peau de Soie—36-in. wide, rich, lustrous finish—regular $1.50 quality today at..... 98c

Silk Remnants—lot of short lengths from ¼ to ¾ yards—crepe de chines, foulards, plain and fancy taffetas and India silks—all colors—regularly 50c to $1 yard—on sale today each.. 10c

Figured Pongees—27 in. wide—ecru grounds with neat figured patterns in red, blue and green—85c quality for..... 49c

Basement Bargains

Special lot of fancy Dress Lawns — in pretty new Spring patterns, regular 10c grade, choice today at..... 4c

3,000 yards of fine Colored Lawns—in neat small figures and spot effects in pinks, reds and blues, on sale today at..... 6¼c

Lot of regular 12½c Colored Dimities—neat Spring patterns and absolutely fast colors, today's price..... 8⅓c

Lot of regular 7c Apron Gingham—checks and stripes, assorted colorings, on sale today at..... 5c

Special lot of regular 12½c White Goods—in fancy woven effects, on sale today at just half price..... 6¼c

Lot of new Spring Mercerized Waistings—in a choice assortment of new Spring patterns, actual value 35c a yard, on sale today at..... 25c

Lot of full bleached Table Damask—58 in. wide, and the regular 39c quality, on sale today at..... 19c

Friday Glove Sale

Sale of Ladies' Lace Lisle Gloves — in white, tan, mode, beaver and gray, in a full line of sizes, regular price 25c a pair, on sale today at..... 10c

Sale of Ladies' Kid Gloves—in black, white, red, brown, tan and mode, 2 clasps, embroidered backs, all sizes, regular prices 75c and $1, on sale today at..... 48c

Children's fine cotton ribbed Hose—spliced heel and toe, all sizes, regular 12½c grade, today for..... 5c

Sale of Ladies' Shirt Waists—fancy striped colorings—absolutely fast and strictly washable, regular price 50c, choice of the lot today for..... 25c

Clean-up of Vests—odds and ends of ladies', misses' and children's Swiss ribbed, sleeveless Vests, average value 15c, choice today at..... 5c

Lot of Ladies' Wash Petticoats—neatly tailored of striped seersucker with deep flounce and ruffle, cut full, regular price 75c, on sale today at..... 48c

Sale of Corsets—all the latest new Spring shapes, ventilating and batiste, girdles and corsets, in a full line of sizes, special lot just arrived, go on sale today at..... 25c

Ladies' Shoes

Lot of 100 pairs of Ladies' Vici Kid, Patent Tip Shoes, regular price $2 a pair, on sale today at..... 75c

Lot of Sample Shoes, for ladies—in small and medium widths and sizes, regular price $3.50 and $4 a pair, on sale today at..... $1.98

3-yard bolts of Cotton Tape, 2 doz. Card of Hooks and Eyes, Paper of Common Pins, Package of Wire Hair Pins, Bone Crochet Hooks, Choice Today at 1c

Wash Laces

5,000 yards of Embroidery Remnants—in 5, 6 and 7 in. widths, also Insertions, 5 and 6 yard lengths, over 100 different patterns, regular prices 8c and 12½c a yd., on sale today at..... 4c

Big lot of Wash Laces—in Point de Paris, Platt Val., Normandy and English Torchons, both laces and insertions, from 1 to 4 in. wide, in a large variety of patterns, regular prices 8c to 15c a yd., on sale today at..... 3½c

Black Silk Chantilly Galloons—in beautiful floral and medallion patterns, regular 25c and 35c qualities, on sale today at.. 8c

Rich Ribbons For Less Than Half

Sale extraordinary today of 100 pieces of extra fine quality soft finish Taffeta Ribbons—high luster, all pure silk—full 5 in. wide—in white, pink and black—just the kind for making sashes and for millinery purposes—our regular 35c grade—on sale today at, yard..... 15c

Bulbs for Less

Special sale today in the basement of Bulbs—Tuberoses at 2c each or 10c a doz., and Gladiolus at 2c each, or, doz..... 15c

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